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PATTEN FLEES FROM CHICAGO

Impelled To Leave by Threats Against Life

HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR DEARER BREAD

Demoralization Reigns in Chicago Wheat Pit

Traders Are Now Beginning To Believe That Patten Is Wrong and Secretary Wilson Right in Regard to the Wheat Outlook Not Only in This Country but Also in Wheat Countries of World

Chicago April 22—James A Patten did not leave Chicago in order to study crop conditions at first hand is announced yesterday from his office neither was the primary reason for his departure his desire to get away from the newspaper reporters

Patten fled from Chicago because his friends feared any further stay in this city was dangerous in view of the alarming number of threats made against his life

It was stated by an official at Patten's office today that within the last week the publicity given Patten's present wheat deal has resulted in a tremendous increase in the number of beggars and threatening letters addressed to him

At first the letters merely warned the grain king to look out but more recent letters all anonymous made open threats that he will be killed if he keeps up the prices of wheat flour and bread

Threats of Bombs

Several threats that he would be killed with bombs it is said alarmed Patten's friends

Patten has also felt very keenly the public criticism of his course and has believed that he was being unjustly blamed for the present market The criticism has worried him more than anything else and for several days before his departure he showed such extreme nervousness that it was feared he would break down Consequently when the bomb throwing letters began to come in his friends fearing he would be offered violence if he continued to appear around his office prevailed upon him to get out of town as quickly as possible and seek rest and refuge on some ranch as far from Chicago as possible

Patten passed through Hutchinson Kansas this morning on his way to a ranch near Trinidad Colorado which he will reach this evening

He told Attorney H S Lewis of Hutchinson that he had no intention of investigating wheat conditions but that he was merely running away from the newspapers

Prices on Toboggan

Chicago April 22—What looked like the expected renewal of the bear attack on the wheat market began at the tip of the gong pulling the price of all wheat futures on the toboggan

The fact that James A Patten was out of the city and hence out of close touch with the market evidently inspired the bear raid Trading in the pit was enormous and many of the orders were to sell

The Patten interests have been trading up on July wheat of late in the belief that Patten's prediction that July will go above the May record price of 1 29 will be carried out

The significant part of today's downward market broke is the fact that while Patten brokers freely went into the pit and bought July at the outset they later changed their tactics and sold enormous quantities of the same future when the market slumped The bears up to 1 to have forced Patten to unload

After opening at 1 1 ½ July dropped like a plummet to 1 11 8 May touched 1 22½ advanced to 1 and then suddenly dropped to 1 22⅛ September showed a loss of 1 ac in the first half hour

Wilson May Be Right

Traders declared today that they were beginning to believe that Secretary Wilson and not Patten was right in his estimate of the visible supply of wheat not only in this country but all over the world

The impression probably influenced the attitude towards the market today

The wildest excitement prevailed in the pit the traders rushing about like mad men in their frantic anxiety to get rid of their wheat A condition of almost complete demoralization prevailed within an hour after the market opened Advices from the Dakotas both big wheat growing states declare there is much more wheat in sight there than had been expected Liverpool and Berlin cables also indicated a huge increase in the visible supply abroad

The buying of wheat decreased as the morning advanced and with the support knocked out from under the market prices continued to drop half a cent at a time In the next fifteen minutes May dropped to 1 1 July to 1 10⅜ and September to 1 03⅝

Liquidation continued with hardly any interruption until shortly before the noon hour Patten is credited with having unloaded an immense quantity of July wheat at 1 10⅜

Shortly before noon however there was a lull in the pit and while offerings were immense the eagerness of traders to buy up and to have cover this on the market's downward plunge and July to as much as 1 11 8 and May to 1 1 The market rebounded nervously at these prices for nearly an hour

A Chicago Tragedy

Chicago April 22—Harry L Summers forty six years old after this afternoon murdered his wife wounded his daughter Gladys ten and his mother in law Mrs Anna McKenzie and then committed suicide The little girl will die

NO TRACE OF LEO MULHERN

Son of Cincinnati Widow Still Missing

NOT SEEN SINCE EARLY WEDNESDAY

Third Letter from the Alleged Kidnapers

Taunts Mother of the Lad for Not Sending the $800 Demanded by Them—Brother of Missing Lad Appears in the Arcade Where Kidnapers Are To Meet Him, but They Do Not Appear

Cincinnati April 22—Absolutely no trace has been found of missing Leo Mulhern twelve son of Mrs Emma Mulhern widow of a saloon keeper who is believed to have been kidnaped at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning while on his way to school

The last word that has been received relative to him was a letter received late Wednesday afternoon from the alleged abductors which read

Dear friend I guess you are sorry that you did not give us that $ 00 when we told you Now we have taken your son away and you will not get him till you send us that $ 00 You know why

L M
I M

The letter was the third one received two others having been received earlier in the week declaring that unless $ 00 was left with the cashier of the Hippodrome Jenny Arcade the boy would be kidnaped

Figure on Insurance

Mrs Mulhern while declaring that she is poor believes that the kidnapers may have thought that she got considerable life insurance at the death of her husband three weeks ago and that may have inspired the deed She declares however that as yet she has not received any such money

In pursuance with the instructions given in the previous letters however Charles Mulhern sixteen a brother of the missing boy, left a package containing $ 00 with the cashier at the Hippodrome and waited on hand until the place closed at midnight without any one calling for it

While the police are hard at work on the case they still declare that it is possible that the boy is merely the willing victim of some chums who have recently been inspired by the Whitechapel kidnaping and by kidnaping pictures as shown at moving picture shows The last seen of the boy was at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning when he was on his way to school Shortly afterward his books were found scattered about the schoolhouse by his teacher who at once notified the police The letter later received by his mother was mailed at 10 o'clock two hours after the kidnaping must have taken place

FIVE PERSONS DIE IN STORM

Which Strikes City of Cleveland Wednesday

ANOTHER DEATH IN TOWN OF PLYMOUTH

The Property Loss Will Reach a Million

Although the Wind Reaches a Velocity of Only Sixty Six Miles It Blows Steadily for Five Minutes and as a Result a Hundred Buildings Are Blown Down—Churches and School Houses Suffer Greatly

Cleveland April 22—Three deaths during last night brought the list of fatalities in yesterday's storm up to five Fifteen persons were seriously injured several of whom may die More than 100 are nursing minor hurts in home or hospitals

Cleveland today bears the marks of wind's fury in every quarter Nearly 100 buildings were entirely demolished Score of chimneys were blown down The property loss is already estimated at $1 000 000 before anything like an accurate tabulation of the damage can be obtained

Although equal in its effects to many cyclones or tornadoes the wind that caused this horror was only an unusually severe thunderstorm From 1 to 12 p m it swept the city from southwest to northeast in a diagonal path about four miles wide through the heart of the most thickly settled district Its velocity during this five minutes was sixty six miles an hour Higher winds have been experienced here but never for such a prolonged period

List of the Dead

Joseph P Vesely crushed by fall of a section of plant of Cleveland Frog & Crossing company

Mrs Olive Phelan thirty four married fatally by stone dislodged from roof instantly killed

Joseph Conwell blown from crane at Cleveland furnace hurled by falling timber

Clarence Engelman blown from box car run over by engine

Arthur Nicholson struck by bricks from church steeple

Churches Suffer

The city's churches and school houses were the greatest sufferers The storm ripped the steeples and chimneys and shattered costly colored windows in thirty places of worship Seventeen schools had walls roofs cornices or windows blown in All that saved heavy loss of life here was the fact that the storm struck while the children were dismissed for the noon recess Three schools were struck by lightning but saved by the fire department

The Lorain Brewing company's plant was damaged to the extent of $100 000 The Cleveland Cooperative Stove company lost $ 000 the Standard Tool company a like amount These are the heaviest sufferers among business firms but the total reported by thirty other firms will run up to $ 00 000

This morning the streets are still littered with debris fallen trees and tangled wires

The storm tore across northern Ohio but thus far only the loss of life reported from outside the city is on death at Ashtabula Property damage in small towns however is heavy

A sixth victim Henry Bender died at City hospital this noon of a fractured skull His home was in Parma

Ashtabula Suffers

Ashtabula next to Cleveland probably was hardest hit by the storm The home of Mrs Elmer Hayes was turned completely upside down and demolished Mr Hayes her sister and two year old daughter were in the building The women were able to free themselves from the debris The child was dug out only slightly injured

Mrs Fred Reiter escaped from the wreck of her home but fell unconscious outside after the storm had subsided

The roof was blown from the stage end of the Lyceum theater carried over the residences and shot through North park trees being stripped in its path

The house of Lewis Strong was blown from its foundation Barns and small buildings all over the city were unroofed or completely razed

Plymouth Man Killed

Plymouth Ashtabula county, was struck by a seventy-mile gale which broke suddenly Ex Deputy Game Warden R I Woodworth who sought shelter in the horse sheds adjoining the Protestant church was killed by the collapse of the church Manning Fissett who was with him was badly injured

Ray and Harry Keister driving a load of oats toward the sheds just as the church collapsed were caught under the wreckage Harry was knocked senseless and one arm was broken

The roof and porch were blown from the residence of W F Fuller and a tree was blown through the barn

Mentor was hard hit The large chimney of the Mentor Knitting mills was blown over and crushed through the warehouse Small buildings were demolished roofs blown off and trees uprooted The rainfall for fifteen minutes was the heaviest in the history of the town

Cut off by Storm

Akron was cut off by the storm Telephone and traction service was tied up Lightning struck the cupola of the Clarendon hotel Leo Bloch twelve was struck on the head by a brick among the falling debris and badly hurt

Reed wires of the Northern Ohio Traction & Light were broken Robert Keyes was imprisoned in an elevator in the courthouse for an hour when the power was cut off while he was midway between floors

Local reports only slight damage The deluge of rain there was not accompanied by excessive wind

Many windows were blown in and out buildings and sheds wrecked

Belmont county was visited by the hardest hail storm in years Thousands of windows were broken fruit trees were stripped of buds vegetables were cut to the ground and flowers added After the storm hail lay in inch deep on the ground

School House Turned Around

Elyria O April 22—The King Lewis Corner school house Grafton township five miles south of Elyria was caught in Wednesday's gale a few minutes after the twenty five pupils had reassembled for recitations following the noon recess

The building was lifted clear of its foundations turned half around and then dropped

The gust which caught the building passed so quickly that no one was able to reach the doors The children terrified when they felt the house rising under them started from their seats but before they could stampede the building had settled again to earth No one was hurt

Small Cyclone

Evansville Ind April 22—Mackville a small town west of here was visited by a cyclone late yesterday afternoon Tobacco barns were scattered over field timber destroyed and many homes partially wrecked The top was blown off the new brick bank of Mackville The cyclone was followed by a hail storm which was the most terrible in the history of this section Hailstones of ice five feet high as on the ground Twenty seven horses hitched about town were killed by hail and all ran away at the same time demolishing the vehicles

COLIMA VOLCANO BECOMES ACTIVE

Eruption Is Followed by Earthquake Shock

Mexicans in Panic

Mexico City April 21 A severe eruption of the Colima volcano followed by an earthquake shock has spread terror and confusion among the inhabitants of the nearby towns and villages a number of whom deserted their homes and fled to points outside the affected zone

The eruption covered a wide area with ashes and lava and only subsided at nightfall Just as confidence was being restored the region was shaken by a violent earthquake and hundreds who had returned to a sense of their security were thrown into a panic

$150 Pearl in Cocktail

Columbus O April 22—P K Lyon Toledo insurance man found a $150 pearl in a clam cocktail served him at the Neil House Wednesday evening He has refused $150 for the pearl and says he will give it to his wife

BECOMES A BRIDE FOR TENTH TIME

Evansville Ind April 22—Mrs Polly Weed Baker sixty seven of Newburg Indiana became a bride for the tenth time Wednesday when she was married here to Simon Shipert sixty Burlington Iowa who thus became a groom for the ninth time Several of Mrs Baker's husbands were divorced, two of them died and one committed suicide

LOCK AND SEA LEVEL CANALS

Their Advantages and Disadvantages Shown

BY TWO EMINENT WATER ENGINEERS

John R Freeman Favors the Lock Type

Philippe Bunau-Varilla Leans to the Sea Level Plan—Former Urges That Canal Will Be Finished on Time and Will Be the Better—Latter Gives His Ideas of Value of the Sea Level Type

New York April 22— The Panama canal can be ready for use in five or six years whereas to make a sea level canal passable would require ten or twelve years from the present time —John R Freeman distinguished hydraulic engineer graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and admittedly a leading engineer in this and other countries

The only advantage of a lock canal is economy in time of construction that naturally results from a cut through the continental divide of lesser depth than the one necessary for a sea level canal —Philippe Bunau Varilla eminent French engineer graduate of L'Ecole Polytechnique and a leader among continental experts

In the May Outlook these two men give the result of their personal investigation of the entire Panama canal project and their views are so at variance that the entire controversy over the type of the canal is sure to be renewed by scientific bodies generally

Sea-Level Type

Freeman declares the sea level type is entirely out of the question because of its enormous cost and also says that it would not carry so great a traffic with so small a chance of accident or with so little delay as the lock canal He describes at great length the Gatun dam and shows that in his opinion it will be absolutely safe

The lock canal project Freeman declares solves the problem of control of the Chagres river and transforms a dangerous enemy into an excellent friend by creating in the Chagres valley an artificial lake 164 square miles in area eighty five feet above the sea controlled by the great dam and spillway at Gatun Enough is saved in excavation here to more than pay the cost of the lock system and makes the entire length of the excavated channel about twice as wide as the proposed sea level canal saving five years time and five years use of a $ 60 000 000 investment

Freeman declares that the completed canal will represent to the United States exactly $ 60 000 000 which will be later reduced by salvage on the construction plant And he concludes significantly

Inside the Limit

The canal will be built inside of the time estimate There is manifest along the line a spirit of earnestness confidence and cooperation and a general wholesomeness of life which makes of this narrow forty-three mile strip the best construction camp that the world has ever seen and one of which Americans should be proud

Bunau Varilla sums up the objections to the lock canal type in the following powerful arraignment

When in use it may be crippled by the wrong minded owner of warships or vessels in transit

May be destroyed by a dynamite laden ship exploding

May be crippled with a few sticks of dynamite held by desperate men

May be crippled in war time by warship or submarines

May be crippled by an earthquake

In addition there is certain and unavoidable fault to the life of a lock canal

A High Flight

Rome April 21—Wilbur Wright made one of the highest flights he has yet attempted today when he sailed his aeroplane at a height of 2 0 feet He was alone in his flight but he soon alighted and took Lieutenant Calderara on two flights which lasted thirty-one minutes The aeroplane worked perfectly throughout the three tests.

ANOTHER VICTIM OF THE RAILROADS

Man Hunting for Place To Sleep Is Fatally Wounded

Chicago April 22—Alexander Penwell twenty one whose home is at No 31 Elizabeth street Cincinnati was shot and fatally wounded the railroad tracks on the south early today by two watchmen along side He is dying at a local hospital

Penwell told the police he could not get work in Cincinnati and came here He and John Ryan early this morning were looking for some place to sleep They approached a shanty when suddenly two men stepped out and began firing at them Penwell was wounded twice The two watchmen Henry Bishop and Richard Edgewater said the shanty had been robbed a few nights previous and they thought Penwell and Ryan were the robbers

NOMINATIONS ARE SENT TO SENATE

Northcott Is Named for Minister to Colombia

Washington April 21—President Taft sent the following nominations to the Senate Tuesday

To be minister of Colombia Gilbert Northcott of West Virginia

To be United States attorney for the Southern district of West Virginia Harold A Ritz

THE SENATORS GET PROMISE

President Will Take Up Matter of Congressmen

COMBINATION TO MAINTAIN RATES

Charge Made Against Some Western Railroads.

Smoot, Sutherland and Howell Claim Railroads Conspire to Secure Higher Rates and Are Guilty of Unlawful Practices—President Will Turn the Charges Over to the Department of Justice for Investigation

Washington April 22—Promise was given Senators Smoot and Sutherland and Representative Howell of Utah Wednesday by the president that he would turn over to the department of justice their request for investigation of the alleged combination of the Southern Union Pacific Oregon Short Line and other western railroads to maintain rates

The Utah delegation came to the White House armed with papers which alleged Salt Lake Ogden and Provo have been for many years subjected to oppressive unjust grossly discriminative and unlawful practices of the railroad companies

Conspiracy is charged between railroads whereby higher rates are charged they claim for the transportation of freight from Chicago Mississippi and Missouri river and Denver territories to the three cities mentioned than to the longer haul to Pacific coast cities

The roads charged with entering this conspiracy are the Southern and Union Pacific Oregon Short Line Oregon Railroad & Navigation company San Pedro Los Angeles & Salt Lake Denver & Rio Grande Missouri Pacific Colorado Midland Colorado & Southern Chicago Burlington & Quincy Rock Island and the Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe

The petition presented to the president asserts that the enormous profits paid on stock are out of all proportion to equitable division of profit and that the controlling spirit Harriman owes nothing for its existing power less than the federal government itself—and intimates that he does not care very much for that

UPPER SANDUSKY MAN TAKES LIFE

Dying of Consumption, Kills Himself with Rifle

Upper Sandusky O April 22— Emery Schindler dying of consumption sent his little son upstairs for his Lilliput rifle saying he wished to amuse himself by shooting at sparrows in the front yard After the boy had brought the gun and some shells he sent him with a message to the hired man asking him to come to the house When the boy and man returned Schindler was dead, a bullet through his brain

WILL CAMP ON KAPITE PLAINS

Roosevelt Will Begin His Hunt Tomorrow

LEAVES MOMBASA THIS AFTERNOON

A Special Train Bears Party of Hunters.

Roosevelt Is Guest of Honor at a Dinner Given by the Mombasa Club Last Night—Cheered for Five Minutes When He Rises To Speak He and King Edward Are Toasted. Africa's Greatest Surprise

Mombasa British East Africa April 22—Colonel Roosevelt will probably get his first bag of African game tomorrow Changes in the hunting plans of the Roosevelt party were made today as a result of which the party will spend a week in camp on the Kapiti plains before proceeding to Nairobi and the ranch of Sir Alfred Pease

The hunting party left Mombasa this afternoon at 2 30 o'clock and the members will disembark tonight and after a short rest the hunting on Kapiti plains will begin If the present plans do not miscarry the colonel will do his first shooting tomorrow Antelopes ostriches and other small game abound on the Kapiti plains

A special train decorated with American flags bore the party from Mombasa

At the dinner given by the Mombasa club last night, Mr Roosevelt was toasted by P C Selous, the famous African hunter as the possible means of bringing England and Germany to a better understanding The reference brought tremendous applause

Refers to Lectures.

Mr Selous was referring to Mr Roosevelt's coming lectures in Berlin and London when he declared that a man of Mr Roosevelt's keen insight into governmental affairs and world politics could undoubtedly be of inestimable value in bringing the two nations closer together

P J Jackson acting governor of the protectorate presided at the dinner and he toasted both King Edward and Mr Roosevelt When the latter rose to respond he was greeted by cheering that lasted fully five minutes The demonstration was so cordial that the ex-president seemed momentarily embarrassed

Mr Roosevelt said that the greatest surprise he had encountered in Africa was the beauty of the scenery, which far surpassed his expectations He declared he had seen so many evidences of civilization that he was beginning to be skeptical regarding the existence of jungles a skepticism which he hoped soon to have removed

R J Cunningham who will act as a guide for the Roosevelt party, was one of the first to greet Mr Roosevelt

Mr Roosevelt received the following cable from King Edward upon his arrival at Mombasa

I bid you a hearty welcome upon your arrival in British East Africa I trust your expedition will prove enjoyable and will be attended by every success

JONES IS CHOSEN WARDEN OF PEN

By Unanimous Vote of the Board of Managers

Columbus O April 22—Thomas H B Jones, hotel keeper, of Ironton was unanimously elected warden of the Ohio penitentiary by the board of prison managers in session at the governor's office this morning Many candidates have been mentioned for the place but only the name of Jones was presented He will succeed O B Gould, May 1, when Gould will become a member of the board of prison managers Jones is from the Tenth district, where Gould hails from The board will meet Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock to continue the reorganization of the prison

S B Randall of Chillicothe, will get the stewardship of the prison, Doc Morrison of Medina county, the position of parole officer George U Jarvin, of Columbus, the secretaryship to the board of managers, and Dr J W Clark of Oak Hill, Jackson county the chief physicianship of the prison, according to the indications

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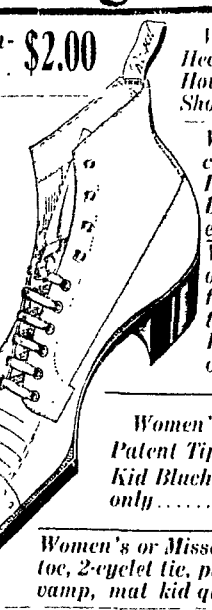

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BENJAMIN HANSON BEFORE THE MAYOR

Quarry Worker, of Owens, Fined for Drunkenness.

A STOLEN REVOLVER RECOVERED BY OWNER

D. Powell Causes Arrest of Man He Befriends—F. Goldstein Is Held at the City Prison To Pay Fine for Stealing a Revolver—Some Police Court News Items.

Benjamin Hanson, a quarry worker from Owens, was arrested in an alley off north Main street, Wednesday afternoon, by Officer McDonough and a charge of drunkenness was placed against him. When arraigned before the mayor, next morning, Hanson pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined five dollars. He paid the amount and was released.

Through the assistance of the local police, D. Powell, a foreman of the Tide Water Pipe Line company, recovered a revolver which was stolen from him by another employe of the company. Straley, the fellow who stole the revolver, was arrested at Fostoria, Wednesday night, and on turning the revolver over to the police and the weapon being returned to Powell, the latter did not care to prosecute him. Powell paid Straley's fare to this city from Galion, Wednesday afternoon, and also furnished him supper at the Pilgrim Inn. Straley took the gun from Powell's trunk and had arranged to meet Powell later in the evening but failed to show up, and on investigation at the station it was learned that Straley had gone to Fostoria.

F. Goldstein, who was fined $10 and costs for stealing a revolver from D. J. Kelly, is still confined in the city prison. Goldstein wrote a letter to his father, Wednesday, and unless the fine is paid this week, he will be taken to the Columbus workhouse. The local police have had Goldstein under suspicion for a number of thefts here, and it is believed he is a bad character.

Elias Wolfinger drove to Marion, Tuesday afternoon, and hitched his horse in the alley at the rear of Salter's slate yard on south Main street. When he went after the rig about 4 o'clock, it was gone and he at once reported the matter to the police. A search was made by the officers, and some time later the rig was found hitched a short distance from where Wolfinger had tied it. The horse showed signs of having been driven hard and it is thought that some person wishing to make a trip in a hurry used the rig without consulting the owner.

Daniel J. Kelly, who conducts a second-hand store on Kenton avenue, filed an affidavit in the mayor's court, Tuesday evening, charging F. Goldstein with stealing a revolver valued at $2.50. The theft is alleged to have been made, last Sunday, from Kelly's place. Goldstein was arrested, Tuesday night, by Officers Thompson and Wilhelm.

When arraigned before the mayor, Wednesday the prisoner pleaded guilty to the charge, claiming that Kelly had given him the gun. He was given a hearing and being found guilty was fined $10 and the costs in the case amounting to $4.50 and to stand committed in the Columbus workhouse until the amount is paid. He is now confined in the prison to be given a chance to communicate with relatives. Goldstein's home is in Delaware and he frequently comes to Marion.

Tuesday evening, the mayor notified Chief Cornwell to see that the merchants of the city do not occupy more than two and a half feet of the walk in front of their places. If the order is violated the offender will be arrested.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Miss Meta McWherter and Perry Hughes, both of Prospect; Miss Eva Frances Jackson and Harry LeRoy Watkins, Miss Mary Green and John F. Ryan.

A marriage license has been issued to Miss Ethel Allstetter, aged sixteen, and Carl A. Massie, aged eighteen.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Miss Irma G. Weitzel and Harry Paul Grady, and Mrs. Millia A. Corlan and John F. Cocherl.

A Death Message.

Herman Feudner received a telegram, Wednesday evening, announcing the death of his wife's sister, Miss Elizabeth Lynch, which occurred, Wednesday afternoon, at her home south of Kenton. Death was due to stomach trouble, of which the deceased has been suffering for some time. Mr. Feudner left, Thursday, for Kenton, his wife having gone to her sister's bedside Tuesday. The deceased was quite well known in this city, having frequently visited here. The funeral was held from the late residence Friday.

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Mrs. Samuel Bush Begins a Suit for Divorce.

HER HUSBAND LEAVES WIFE AND CHILDREN

The Divorce Proceeding of Emily J. Winbigler—Defendant Files an Answer—John Cramer Must Answer Charge of Contempt of Court—Court Notes.

In the divorce suit of Emily J. Winbigler against Alfred C. Winbigler, the answer of the defendant has been filed in the common pleas court by Attorney W. J. Gear, of Galion. The answering defendant says that, although innocent of any wrongdoing, he was forced to marry plaintiff at Mansfield, November 29, 1901, and that he has not lived with her since that date. She, on the contrary, he says, has continued to receive the company of other men.

After being married nearly twenty-nine years, Mrs. Ella A. Bush, through Attorney L. E. Myers, brought an action for divorce from Samuel Bush, Thursday morning, in the common pleas court.

The plaintiff sets up that she was married to the defendant in Jackson county, December 9, 1880, and that nine children have been born to them. She claims that in 1906 her husband abandoned her and their children and has contributed nothing toward their support since then. The plaintiff alleges that the defendant squandered his money for drink.

John Cramer, whose wife was granted $10 a month temporary alimony pending her action for a divorce, must appear before Judge L. G. Young, Saturday to show cause why he should not be adjudged in contempt of court because of his failure to comply with the court's order.

The suit of Frances Dowell against Frank Leffler to recover judgment for $105 for nursing his children has been settled out of court.

CITY IN BRIEF.

H. L. Male Hurt. While playing volley-ball in the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A. building, Wednesday evening, H. L. Male injured the tendons in his left knee, and as a result is confined to his home.

Falls from Car Door. Carl Massey fell from the door of a car at the Central Ohio Lime & Stone company's plant, Thursday and sustained an injury to his right shoulder. In falling, he struck a wheelbarrow and hit the steam on his right shoulder. He was removed to the D. C. E. Sawyer sanatorium where his injuries were given the necessary attention.

Alligator Skin.

H. S. Vail, manager of the Marion Family theatre, received a fine alligator skin, Wednesday from E. E. Schooley at Fort Myers, Florida. The skin was taken from an eight-foot alligator which Schooley killed. Schooley is an employe of the Marion Steam Shovel company.

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WHEAT KING PATTEN A WORLD CRIMINAL

Thus He Is Sized Up by a Cleveland Pastor

Patten Commits a Crime Against the World—Time To Stop Praying for Daily Bread and Mete Out Punishment to Robbers of the People

Cleveland April 19.—Wheat King Patten as a world criminal was the subject of a sermon by the Rev R A George of the Lakeview Congregational church that is creating discussion today

"Patten has committed a crime against the world it is time we stopped long enough in our prayers for our daily bread to mete out punishment to those who by gambling manipulations rob and rob the people" was the minister's most striking declaration

"We boast of our republican government and its freedom he said "It is well to have freedom but when such gamblers as Patten are given freedom to exploit the people for their own selfish gain and to disturb the markets of the world and force men into poverty and when the children cry for bread it is license and not freedom and monarchy with its controlling hand is better than such an unregulated kind of government

"We all agree that some remedy must be found and we naturally look to congress to enact such laws as will render the pernicious gambling an impossible thing

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER

Will Spain turn shopkeeper such as England has been or low as Holland was before England took the role such as Germany is trying to be and such as the United States has been all the time If Spain should develop her manufacture and become trader she will have ready applied for her trade all the millions of Latin America

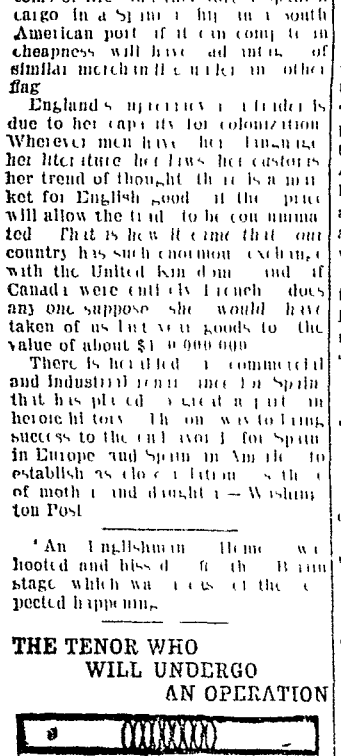
Blood is thicker than water and it is a truism that to speak the same language is a closer relation than to drink the same milk The South American countries except Brazil are Spanish and Brazil is Portuguese All these people have the same methods of thought with the Spanish and the same literature the same religion pretty much the same laws and altogether the same customs of life and therefore Spanish cargo in a Spanish ship to a South American port if it can compete in cheapness will have advantages of similar merchandise under other flag

England's supremacy is due to her capacity for colonization Wherever men have her language her literature her laws her customs her trend of thought there is a market for English goods at the price will allow the trade to be consummated That is how it came that our country has such enormous exchange with the United Kingdom and if Canada were entirely French does any one suppose she would have taken of us last year goods to the value of about $1 000 000

There is heralded a commercial and industrial renaissance for Spain that has played a great part in heroic history The one was to bring success to the cause of Spain in Europe and Spain in America to establish as close relations as those of mother and daughter.—Washington Post

"An Englishman Home was hooted and hissed at the Britannia stage which was a mass of the expected happening

THE TENOR WHO WILL UNDERGO AN OPERATION



ENRICO CARUSO

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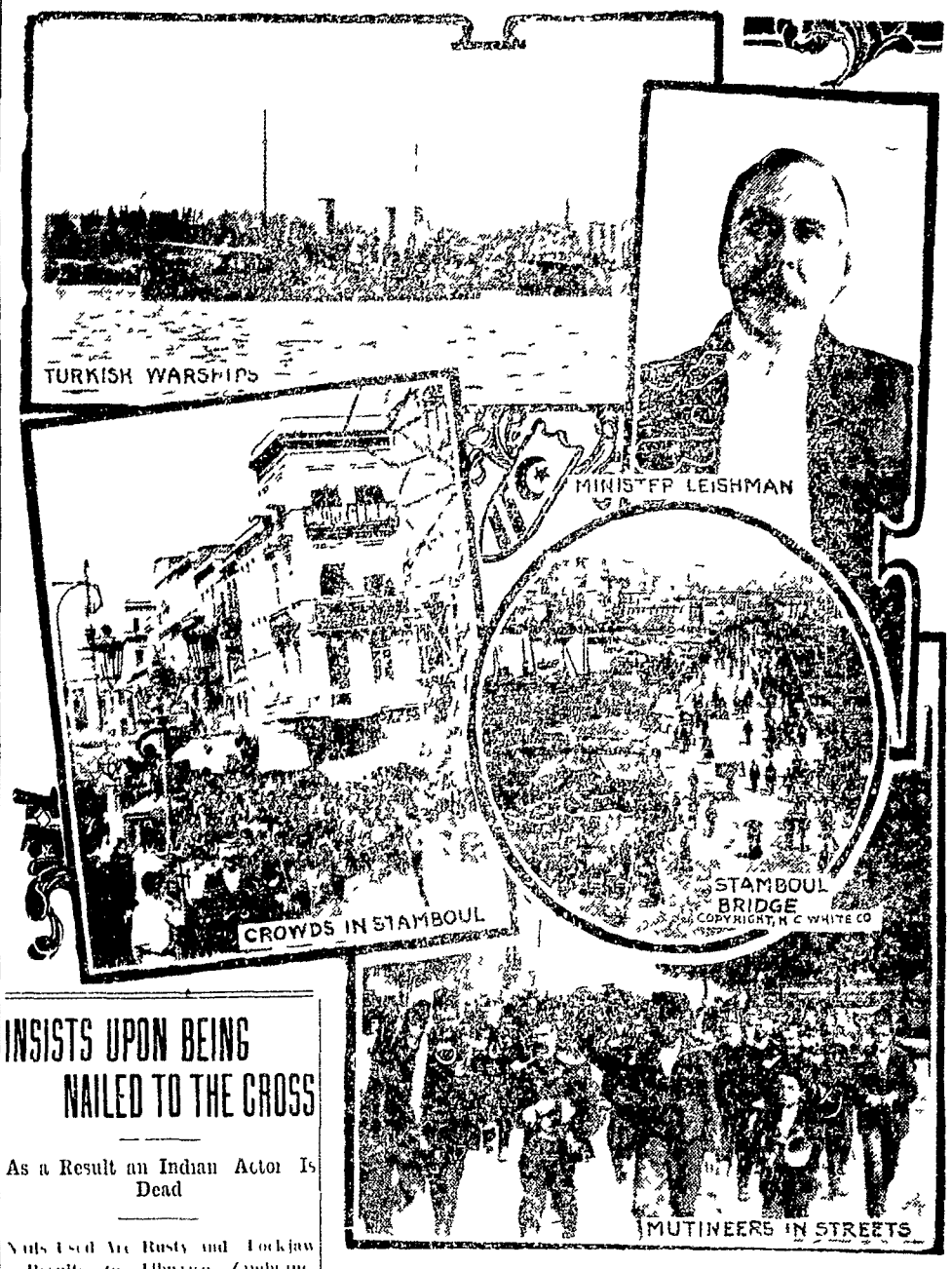
Enrico Caruso the great Italian tenor of the Metropolitan Opera company sailed on the Mauretania this week and he may never be heard in opera again He is suffering of a severe attack of rheumatism of the throat and vocal cords He will go direct to Milan to be operated upon by a specialist Caruso believes that the treatment and change of climate will soon restore his voice

SCENES OF UPRISING IN TURKISH CAPITAL; U. S. ENVOY ORDERED TO BE ON ALERT



INSISTS UPON BEING NAILED TO THE CROSS

As a Result an Indian Actor Is Dead

Nails Used Are Rusty and Lockjaw Results to Elbarico Zumbrano Who Takes the Part of Christ in the Passion Play

Mexico City Mex April 19 Elbarico Zumbrano an Indian is dead at Tuxpan as a result of being nailed to the cross during the annual presentation of the Passion Play in which Zumbrano was playing the part of the Christ When the moment for the crucifixion came Zumbrano insisted that instead of being tied to the cross which has always been the custom that he be actually nailed Religious fervor was at white heat and the other actors hastily securing nails drove them through his hand and feet Later it was discovered that the nails had been rusty lockjaw resulted and Zumbrano died in great agony

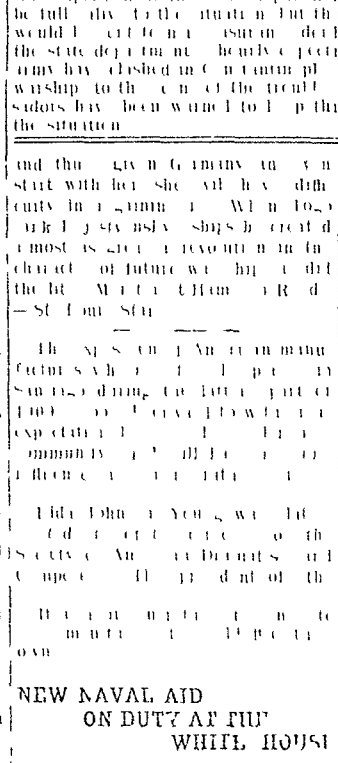
A NAVAL RACE

With all her Dreadnoughts in command on and building England heeds Germany A naval change has come over the situation a result of the Japan war and the efforts of Germany to be the first to apply a naval conception he lessons it taught The result that England has determined her own naval supremacy which she has maintained ever the days of the Invincible Armada The historic battle between Drake and the Spanish admiral and the gallant fight of the Revenge against the fleet of Spain proved the superiority of the English sailor and the English ship Today England is alone because she is determined to be and thus given Germany no excuse for a war with her she will have difficulty in starting one Within two years Germany's ships of the most modern type will be almost as great a revolution in character of future warfare as did the introduction of the Monitor and Merrimac—St Louis Star

The Japanese and American manufacturers who have put up factories during the last year or two in Shanghai China expect to have their plants in operation by the fall of 1909 The Japanese company's plant will be the largest in China and will employ 1 000 hands

Lida Johnson Young who for eight years was the editor of the Saturday Evening Post and Ladies' Home Journal died at her home in Brooklyn

NEW NAVAL AID ON DUTY AT THE WHITE HOUSE



LIEUT COM'DR PALMER

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Lieut Com Thomas T Craven U S N has been detailed by the navy department to the White House to succeed Lieut Com Samuel P Comly U S N who has been ordered to the battleship Connecticut

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

You can't hurt affairs by nothing that

One way to get out of sticking a man on a

A great many called for remarks at the Hillsboro office

Time develops many cities come under the head of spring novelties

After the game might be appreciated many were those who came to tell

Boston Transcript appears that a man may be right about nothing but

The hat once owned and worn by Napoleon always changed hands of head

Many a young adult mind thinks much of sows and hogs even on trees as they grow.—Chicago News

REACHING THE SPOT

It Can Be Done So Scores of Marion Citizens Say

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HE BARELY ESCAPES AN ASSASSIN'S BULLET

Close Call for Former Governor J Frank Hanly

Bullet Enters the Seat Directly Behind Him—It Is Fired as Train Passes Orestes a Small Town Near the City of Muncie

Findlay O April 19.—Ex Governor J Frank Hanly of Indiana has just escaped injury by assassin near Muncie Indiana Saturday as he was on his way to prison as one of the Big Six Wisconsin train that passed through here

Hanly was enroute from Indianapolis to Oklahoma and while the train was speeding past Orestes a small town near Muncie a bullet entered the seat directly behind the governor It is thought it was intended for Hanly for the purpose of keeping him from getting local option to the Hoosier state

NEWFOUNDLAND'S VENTURE

Report has it that a New York company has purchased 1 000 square miles of woodland on the south coast of Newfoundland and will erect a paper manufacturing plant at a cost of $10 000 000 This is important—if true—for a variety of reasons The enterprise will conserve American forests by setting the woodmen at busy elsewhere It will compel the concerns which now control the paper supply of the United States to meet their patrons on equitable basis It will stimulate American interest in a land of many delights and great possibilities The New York venture is not the first of its kind in that far off island colony of Great Britain Harmsworth the great English publisher has been pushing development work for a similar project in Newfoundland the past several years at vast expenditure and this summer he probably will begin to reap some return

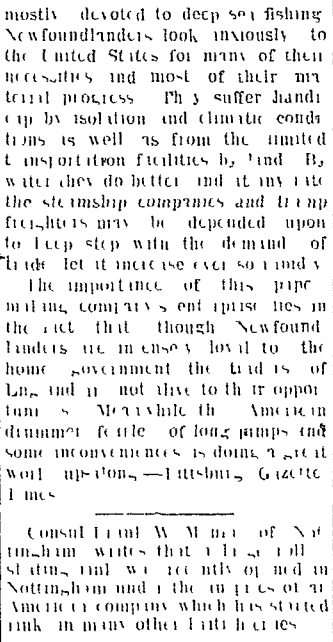
Newfoundland is keen for the pioneer and the developer Though one of the oldest known and settled parts of North America it is but sparsely occupied and its real development is yet in its infancy Only ninety hours by sea from New York more than part of Canada subject to the mother country it is the most easterly point on this continent and as the Atlantic voyage goes is almost half way to Ireland With one of the richest iron mines in operation anywhere with the greatest fishing port in the world a widely scattered folk mostly devoted to deep sea fishing Newfoundlanders look anxiously to the United States for many of their necessities and most of their material progress They suffer handicap by isolation and climatic conditions as well as from the limited transportation facilities by land But water they do better and at any rate the steamship companies and tramp freighters may be depended upon to keep step with the demand of trade let it increase ever so rapidly

The importance of this pulp and paper making company's enterprises in the fact that though Newfoundlanders are intensely loyal to the home government the trade of Labrador is not alive to their opportunities Meanwhile the American drummer feels of long jumps and some inconveniences is doing a great work upon them.—Louisburg Gazette Times

Consul Frank W Mahin of Nottingham writes that a large boot and shoe firm recently opened in Nottingham and that the owners of an American company which has started rank in many other Britain cities

Do unto others as you think your neighbors will ever have you are better than you think you are

LEADING FRAMER OF THE SENATE'S SCHEDULES



NELSON W. ALDRICH

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While the Aldrich tariff bill is generally lower in some of its schedules than the Payne bill it restores all the protection to trust products that the Payne bill had reduced Senator Aldrich made a concession to the demands of the women of the United States in the lowered rate of duty on hosiery and gloves

AERONAUT WHO WILL USE WIRELESS PHONE IN FLIGHT

LEO STEVENS

When Leo Stevens the aeronaut makes his next balloon ascension he will take with him a wireless telephone through which he is assured by the maker he will be able to carry on conversation with person on the ground no matter at how high an altitude he may be One of the telephones is attached to the basket of the balloon which he is sending up for an ascension He expects to test it in a flight in a few days

EDUCATION FOR HEALTH

The report of the city department of health show that deaths from pneumonia in Chicago this year were fewer by 1 _18 than during the preceding year Deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis in 1908 were fewer by 1 _ than during 1907 Deaths from impure air diseases—consumption pneumonia and bronchitis—were 16 per cent less in proportion to population during 1908 than the average for the ten preceding years

This remarkable showing is believed to be due in large measure to the steps taken by the health department to educate the people in the important rules of hygiene especially in the matter of the proper ventilation of homes The commissioner of the health department and his assistants make the office of giving health talks before clubs and organizations of various kind The department issues several publications and information of value to the public is disseminated through the daily press A specialty is made of leaflets for the weekly neighborhood papers many of them printed in foreign language

It is vastly more important to prevent ill health than cure it The educational work of the health department is well as its other activities is commended It is to be hoped that in the general effort to cut down expenses during the coming year the council will not cripple the service performed for the citizens under the direction of the energetic health commissioner.—Chicago News

INDIA AND PHILIPPINES

In the British possession Indians are Europeans The other day Lord Morley secretary of state for the Indian empire appointed a Hindoo lawyer a member of the council which with the viceroy forms the supreme government for India This is the first time since the foundation of the British empire in India that the supreme authority has been composed exclusively of British blood

The London Times shows very pessimistic at the outlook It doubts the advisability of so epoch making an innovation and Morley may be right in taking a grave chance the Times admits but the odds are against the realization of his confidence that the experiment will succeed We can only hope concludes the Thunderer that his sanguine expectation rather than our apprehensions will be fulfilled

The Philippines have been under United States protection for twelve years The government of the islands is entrusted to a governor general and a commissioner—four Americans and three natives—and in the commission is a majority of Filipinos The complete independence of the islands is believed to be a matter of comparatively few years

The United States has many things to learn of the older colonizing powers Treatment of native people is one Let us hope that Great Britain might learn something from so humble a teacher as the United States.—Cleveland Press

If you find a small boy has a head with mischief is too often hatched

A woman's main powers seems to be a friend than a worthless man

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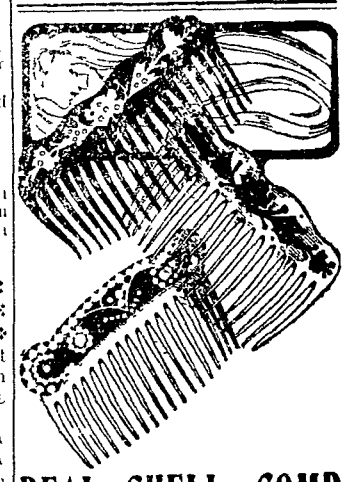

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FLOATING ISLAND IS NOVEL FEATURE

The Celebration of an Anniversary of the Discovery of Lake Champlain

A feature of the celebration of the three hundredth anniversary of the discovery of Lake Champlain to which the entire week of July 4 is to be given up will be an island made to order built on barges and having real trees rocks grass a stockade and Indian wigwams to be used by a party of nearly 200 Indians from upper Canada now in Albany dispatch

The Indians will take part in a sham battle planned to represent with historical accuracy one of the conflicts between the forces of Champlain and the Iroquois The Indians in canoes will come down the lake and land on broad beaches made of wooden wings hinged to the sides of the island The pageant of Hiawatha which the Indians will also present is taken from their own legend differing in some respects from that of Longfellow

The island will be towed alongshore for celebrations at various points

It sometimes happens that a soft man is hard to get rid of.

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BEYOND THE CHOSEN PEOPLE.

By William T. Ellis.

The International Sunday-School Lesson for April 25 Is "The Gospel in Antioch." Acts 11:19-30; 12:25.

Everybody is somehow a provincial. The standards which men involuntarily apply to everything, in heaven above and on earth beneath, are the standards of their own time and place and training. It is natural to try to measure all things by our own little twelve-inch rule. Only the rare man who is a truly great man ever becomes a cosmopolite, recognizing freely that there are other peoples, other standards, other times. While not quite putting it into words, the ordinary person who gives thought at all to the civilization of what is somewhat snobbishly called the "heathen" world, conceives of its being brought to the standards of his own particular church, to the use of his mother tongue, and to the adoption of his forms of dress.

This spirit made trouble in the early church. The first Christians thought of themselves as Jews, and of Christ's message as being for Jews. But when by persecution the infant church was flung hither and thither into what the Jews called "barbarian" communities, they had their eyes opened, even as today travel broadens men's horizons. Gradually, and after much intense opposition, the truth began to enter the minds of the early church that the gospel was for Gentile as well as for Jew, and that the former could be as true a disciple of Jesus as the latter.

While not saying so in church meetings, there are multitudes of earnest Christians today who, in their heart of hearts, question whether a man with a yellow face, and speaking a tongue to them incomprehensible, can be as true a type of Christian as the white man. Much work remains to be done with the home churches as well as in foreign lands before there can be a general leveling up to a realization that Christ Jesus is the Saviour of all men, and that he recks not of tongue or color or race. Many travelers have wished that the fervor and fidelity and joy of some Christian communities newly out of paganism, as the Korean converts, for instance, could be found as a general characteristic of the all too complacent churches at home.

Some Meaningful Names.

The arch-persecutor, Saul, was probably responsible more than any other one man for driving the Christians from Jerusalem in every direction. It is one of the dramatic contrasts of history that he himself should later follow them into these remote places as minister of the once-despised gospel. Now we find them in the present lesson in Phoenicia, and Cyprus, and Antioch, and Cyrene.

The dispersion of the disciples to these points meant the direct, vital contact of their faith with the most formidable aspects of entrenched paganism. It was one thing for the teachings of Jesus to subsist as an aspect of Judaism in the brooding religious atmosphere of Jerusalem; quite different was its life in these active, bustling materialistic "heathen" communities. And here the disciples, who had begun by speaking the Word to none save only to Jews, found themselves constrained to preach the Lord Jesus unto the Greeks also. New conditions had so broadened their minds that they perceived the impossibility of retaining their faith as a mere Jewish sect.

A New Label from the City.

The city is the final test of most men and enterprises. Every boy or man of parts, however celebrated locally, feels himself bound to go up against the city, where he knows his real success or failure must be demonstrated. The new teachings of Jesus were soon called upon to face this test. In Antioch, amid a new and relatively hostile environment, the disciples had to prove the workability of their faith. Could it endure the cold indifference of this vast municipality? Was it equal to impressing these hurrying hordes of Greeks? The challenge of the city, which is a present-day problem for religion, was thus early a question for the followers of Jesus.

It was his expedition to New York City that marked the downfall of John Alexander Dowie. In his own little community on the shores of Lake Michigan he could thrive in growing power and honor. Face to face with the metropolis of the continent he was proved to be unequal to the big task he had set himself, and the furdamental falsity of his pretensions was uncovered. In Antioch, however, the small community of exiles from Jerusalem made an entirely different impression. Antioch gave it a new label. Having stood the test of the city, the friends of Jesus were henceforth to be known by the name there received—Christians. Little could the most imaginative citizen of Antioch dream that the day would have come in human history when Antioch would be known chiefly to civilization because "the disciples were called Christians first in Antioch."

Obviously, whether or not the name was applied in derision, it arose from the fact that the disciples suggested Christ. The center of their faith and preaching and practice was the Galilean. When their neighbors saw them they thought of Jesus. In the conduct of these lowly believers the city of Antioch read, as in living epistles, the gospel of the Crucified. It was what the theologians call a Christo-centric religion that the exiles lived in Antioch; to them Christ was all in all, and they could each say with Paul: "For to me to live is Christ."

Men Who Lead.

There would seem to be warrant for special evangelistic missions in the sending of Barnabas from the church in Jerusalem to Antioch. The prosperity of the gospel in this great city, and the importance of impressing the city with the Message, appealed to the leaders of the church. So bearing their greetings, this evangelist journeyed to Antioch, strengthening the hearts of the disciples, and adding to their number. For as the words of the narrative record—words which have significantly found their way upon many a tombstone—"he was a good man, and full of the Holy Spirit and of faith."

In Antioch began the close and long-continued association of Barnabas with Saul. The former did his best by Antioch, and it was much. Yet he saw possibilities in this great city to which he was not equal. With the wisdom and self-abnegation of the truly devoted, he went forth to Tarsus to seek for Saul, whose measure he had taken as a great statesman, a man of emergencies. He knew that only the best could suffice for the conflict with the great cities. The early church thus set an example to modern churches in the way it manned strategic points with its most efficient forces. For an entire year Barnabas and Saul labored together in Antioch, and it is worth remarking that it is after a narrative of their labors that the point is made by the historian that "the disciples were called Christians first in Antioch."

In this connection also we find ourselves introduced for the first time to the young man, John Mark, whom Barnabas and Saul took with them from Antioch on their return to Jerusalem. Mark, in spite of serious defects of character, was to be one of the historians of Christianity, and one of the leaders in the church. Agabus also appears as a prophet, foretelling the famine that was to come upon the country.

A Famine and a Brotherhood.

Railroads and steamships are rapidly making famines an impossibility. With the swift increase of intercommunication it has become less and less possible for any part of the world neighborhood to suffer from hunger while other sections have abundance. Two years ago there was a terrible famine in remote interior China, which normally would have harvested hundreds of thousands of lives. Because, however, the spirit of Christianity had sent its missionaries into even these remote regions, these men were able to make appeal to civilization, and, largely because of American effort, this famine was broken.

The Christians at Antioch, and indeed throughout the entire dispersion, decided to send relief to the brethren at Jerusalem. That is the first expression of the communal spirit; a man must stand by his own. This spirit did not come into the world with Christianity. The old Jews had practiced it. The Christian contribution to men's thinking in this particular is that they should not only care for their own, but, like the Lord himself, be kind to the evil and the unthankful.

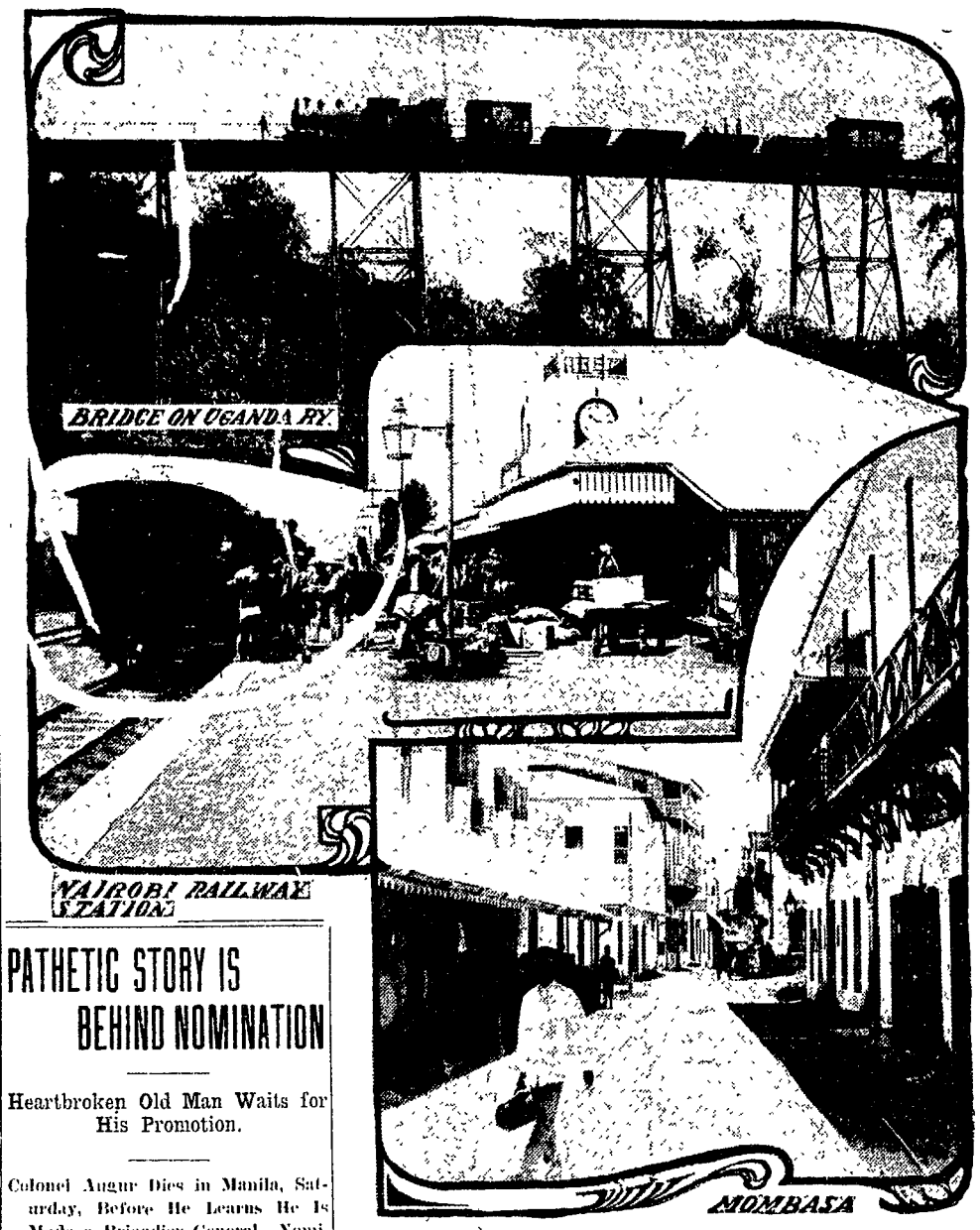
The famine at Jerusalem is not recorded at length. It was a familiar tale to all these early readers. The simple narrative is that relief was sent by the hands of Barnabas and Saul to the elders at Jerusalem. In taking into their fellowship the Gentile brethren the Jewish Christians at Jerusalem, all unwittingly, provided relief for themselves in extremity. It was bread upon the waters. As I heard an old sage in a Chinese famine village say, as he stood with watery eyes, leaning upon his staff: "If you foreigners help us now, in some future incarnation perhaps we shall be able to help you."

John J. Boobar, librarian of the house of representatives, is preparing a card index of the Congressional Record. To index the speeches of the fifty-ninth congress alone required more than 20,000 cards. It is faithful even to the smallest detail, and its cross-references are abundant enough to enable even the amateur to find that for which he is seeking. Mr. Boobar took up this work more as a pastime than anything else.

That the Rev. Dr. Marion Leroy Burton, pastor of the Church of the Pilgrims, in Brooklyn, would probably succeed the Rev. Dr. L. Clark Seelye as president of Smith college was the announcement of prominent members of the Smith college board of trustees.

Hamburg street signs have arrows showing which way the numbers run.

SCENES IN AFRICA, WHERE ROOSEVELT AND HIS PARTY BEGIN BIG GAME HUNT



The sporting goods house in London that furnished the camp equipment for Theodore Roosevelt's hunting trip in Africa has received a cable from Mombasa saying that the outfit arrived there safely. Colonel Roosevelt and his party are scheduled to reach Mombasa on April 21. R. J. Cunninghame, the expert hunter, who is making the arrangements for the hunt, has engaged porters and has everything in readiness for the arrival of the party. Colonel Roosevelt will go at once to Nairobi, 327 miles up the Uganda railroad from Mombasa. Nairobi will be the base of supplies for the hunt. In that part of Africa there are two rainy seasons—one in the early spring and the other in the late fall. It is the intention of the Roosevelt party to hunt during the dry season of the summer and fall, proceeding to Port Florence in October. These pictures show the station at Nairobi, where the hunters will enter the jungle; a scene in Mombasa, and an American built bridge on the Uganda railroad.

PATHETIC STORY IS BEHIND NOMINATION

Heartbroken Old Man Waits for His Promotion.

Colonel Augur Dies in Manila, Saturday, Before He Learns He Is Made a Brigadier General—Nominations Made by the President.

Washington, April 20.—President Taft yesterday nominated Thomas C. Dawson of Iowa to be United States minister to Chile.

Another nomination was that of Colonel, to be a brigadier general, Jacob A. Augur, deceased, Tenth cavalry.

A pathetic story reaches its conclusion in this latter nomination. Colonel Augur died in Manila on Saturday. For many years he had been waiting patiently for the promotion, but each time that the nominations were sent from the White House his name had been omitted. President Roosevelt for reasons best known to himself, skipped dozens of younger colonels over Augur's head during the last four or five years, and the old man was almost heartbroken as he saw advancing years push the prize further and further away from his grasp. As soon as President Taft took the reins of office, he decided that one of the first brigadier generals to be created by his authority would be Jacob A. Augur. Saturday death claimed the colonel, but out of sentiment President Taft ordered that the nomination be sent to the senate just the same.

BY A BACHELOR.

All you have to do to change a bargain into a bunco is to make it.

The reason men don't like a tearful play is it seems so much like home.

The queer way women can dress their children is nothing like as queer as the way they can name them.

If the baby doesn't learn to walk for several months after he ought to, its because his brain is too big for his legs to carry.—New York Press.

There are 1,000 motor cars registered in Bombay, and not one of them is of American make.

A Case of Inflammatory Rheumatism

"Some ten weeks ago, a sudden pain came in my right arm," writes Mrs. Marguerite Rau, 623 Franklin St., York, Pa. "The doctor called it inflammatory rheumatism. For about seven weeks I doctored with different remedies without getting any relief. My arm was swollen from the elbow to the tips of my fingers and was all black and blue and looked as though there was something drawing at the elbow and as if it would break open. The pain was so great that I could not sleep. I finally bought a bottle of Sloan's Liniment and that gave me relief at once. I have used three 25c bottles and am now using a 50c bottle.

I feel that my recovery is due to Sloan's Liniment. It did more for me in three weeks than all the other doctoring I ever did."

Before it slips your memory buy a bottle of Sloan's Liniment. There are three sizes 25c 50c and $1.00. Every druggist carries it in stock.

JAMES A. PATTEN IS VERY BADLY TREATED

Public Refuses To Receive His Honest Statements.

PATTEN'S EFFORTS NOT APPRECIATED

Man With Corner on Wheat Will Not Take the Public into His Confidence Again—Refers to the Ministers Who Denounce Him in Their Pulpits—Grows Sarcastic.

Chicago, April 20.—Declaring that he has been made the scapegoat and that the public has persistently refused to be enlightened regarding the present wheat situation, James A. Patten has announced that he will no longer take the public into his confidence. There will be no more interviews, he says. He also referred sarcastically to the ministers who Sunday ventured to denounce him from the pulpits.

"The fact that a man is a preacher," Patten said, "doesn't give him common sense. If it did, every one would be going into that profession. At least nearly every one, because nearly all need common sense.

"I'm the scapegoat; that's plain. Well, let's go at that. I live by conditions as I find them. Those conditions were made before I got here and I am not to blame whether they are good or bad. I speculate in wheat just the same as anybody else speculates in merchandise.

"I have tried to make the public understand through the newspapers, but it refuses to be enlightened. Besides, the newspapers have grown so intrusive into my affairs that they have photographed me at home, photographed my house, my children and my dogs, and they persist in waking me up at midnight with senseless questions and don't give me a chance to think or rest.

Sunday I went to church, as I have always done. When I came out there was a long line of cameras at the front door waiting for me. I suppose they will print my picture now and say I go to church on Sunday, but plunder the public on Monday. That's going too far and I won't stand for it. No more interviews."

Though Swansea, Wales, is in the very heart of the Welsh anthracite field, stoves suitable for burning it are conspicuous by their absence.

TRADE VICTORIES.

Andrew Carnegie and Charles M. Schwab, both men of substance and understanding in the iron and steel trade, have recently spoken of the ability of American steel makers to compete with foreign steel makers. Bearing on this, two late news items are significant. A despatch from Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, says:

"Bethlehem Steel company's New York sales office received a cablegram announcing that the works here had received a contract from the Argentine Republic for three battleships at a cost aggregating $20,000,000.

"The battleships are to be of the most approved type, in advance of the English Dreadnoughts and surpassing even the American Delaware. The bid of the Bethlehem steel works on this business was one of the boldest strokes of enterprise in the industrial history of the United States. The securing of the contract by Mr. Schwab places the building of the great Argentine men-o'war entirely in his hands and he will receive bids for their assembling from all shipyards on the eastern coats."

The following cable came from London.

"The Glasgow corporation has accepted the tender made by the Lorain Steel company, of Ohio, to supply tram rails and fish plates at two pounds, two shillings per ton, landed at Glasgow harbor. The next lower tender was from an English firm who had hitherto supplied nearly all of Glasgow's requirements in this way. Their tender was eight pounds, ten shillings for rails and twelve pounds, ten shillings for fish plates. The American firm's offer is considered astonishingly low by Scotch experts, especially when the cost to transport to seaboard from the company's works and across the Atlantic is considered."

All of which inclines to prove that American iron workers know a few things about the iron business.—Washington Star.

Mrs. Jennie F. Metcalf, of Winchester, has just won the private secretaryship in one of the largest English tea firms in the world at a salary of $1,500 a year and all expenses. The place was awarded by a competitive examination, in which there were some twenty-five competitors, sixteen of whom were men. The appointment is for three years and she is to go first to Hongkong and then to India.

FREE TURNPIKE NOTICE.

Notice is herby given that a petition will be presented by the Board of Commissioners of Marion county, Ohio, at their special session, to be held May 11, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., asking that said board appoint a commission to lay out and establish a free turnpike road lying and being fully within said county, between the following points, to-wit:—Beginning on the east and west half section line of section 20, Marion township, where said section line intersects the Marion and Kenton pike; thence west on the east and west half section line of sections 20 and 19 to the township line between Marion and Big Island townships; thence north on the township line between Marion and Big Island townships to the Marion and Kenton pike and there terminating, a total distance of about 3½ miles.

Said petitioners also pray that said Board of Commissioners of Marion county, Ohio, levy an extra tax, the amount of which shall not exceed ten (10) mills on the dollar valuation in any one year on all lands and taxable property within the bounds of said proposed free turnpike, and said levy continuing for fifteen (15 years, if the cost and expense of construction be no sooner paid.

J. J. Holland and others.
48-wk&f-4 Petitioners.

LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Marion County, Ohio.

Oza L. McConnell, Plaintiff, against John C. McConnell, Defendant. Cause No. 12361.

The defendant, John C. McConnell, who is supposed to reside at Greenfield, in the County of Franklin, in the State of Massachusetts, will take notice that on the 12th day of April, A. D., 1909, the above named Oza L. McConnell, plaintiff, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Marion County, Ohio, her certain petition against him, the said John C. McConnell, by which petition she seeks a divorce, alimony and equitable relief against said defendant on the grounds of gross neglect of his marital duties, extreme cruelty, abandonment and wilful absence for more than three years last past, with all of which she charges him.

Said cause will be for hearing at any time after June 12th, 1909, by which time said defendant is required to plead. OZA L. McCONNELL, Plaintiff.

By Copeland & Bartram,
Plaintiff's attorneys. 48-wk&f-6

LEGAL NOTICE.

The undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of the late Sarah J. Collins, deceased, of Marion county, Ohio. Any and all persons having any claims against said estate will present them, duly authenticated, to the undersigned for allowance. Any one indebted to said estate is requested to make payment of same to the undersigned.

LLOYD P. DeCOLLEY,
Admr. of the estate of Sarah J. Collins, deceased. 48-wk&f-3

LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Court of Common Pleas, Marion County, Ohio. The Fahey Banking Company, Plaintiff; versus Edward S. Moon, et al., Defendants.

The defendant, Clara J. Ditts, will take notice that the plaintiff, The Fahey Banking Company, did on the 13th day of March, 1909, file its certain petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Marion County, Ohio, being cause No. 12328. That the prayer of said petition is that the plaintiff may recover judgment against the defendants in the sum of $936.60 with interest at 7 per cent. per annum, payable quarterly from March 9, 1909, that the defendants equity of redemption in the following described real estate be foreclosed, to wit: Known as being 160 feet off the West end of Lot Number 6576 in Perry, Jones and Wilson's first Addition to the City of Marion, being a tract of land 42.1 feet in width by 160 feet in depth. The said real estate being situated in the City of Marion, County of Marion and State of Ohio.

That the said premises be sold and out of the proceeds of the sale that plaintiff's mortgage on the said real estate may be paid, for its costs and all other and proper relief.

That the defendant, Clara J. Ditts must answer or demurrer to said petition on or before the 20th day of April, 1909, or the allegations of the petition will be taken to be true against her and judgment rendered accordingly.

The Fahey Banking Company.
By Scofield, Dunfee & Scofield,
Its Attorneys.
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LEGAL NOTICE.

Herman N. Rutenik, whose place of residence is unknown, but whose last known place of residence wat at Huntington, Huntington county, Indiana, will take notice that Bertha Rutenik filed in the court of common please of Marion county, Ohio, her certain petition for a divorce from the said Herman N. Rutenik, in case No. 12314, praying for a divorce from the said Herman N. Rutenik upon the ground of the said Herman N. Rutenik having a wife living from whom he had not obtained a divorce at the time of the marriage of said Herman N. Rutenik to Bertha Rutenik.

That said cause will be for hearing in the court of common pleas of Marion county, Ohio, on or after May 6th, 1909. BERTHA RUTENIK,
By H. Edmund Hill, her attorney
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SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

The School Examiners of Marion county, Ohio will meet for the examination of teachers at Central school building, Saturday.,

May 1.
June 5.
July 3.
August 7.
Patterson Examinations.
April 17.
May 8.

Examinations commence at 8:30 a. m and no applications will be received after 10 a. m. All examinations will be written and positively no private examinations will be granted. A fee of 50 cents will be charged on admission to the examination and each applicant will furnish an envelope, stamped and addressed to him or herself, in which a certificate or notice of failure will be forwarded. Applicants will be graded on a scale of 100. No certificate will be granted when the grade in any branch falls below 65. An average of 70 with a minimum of 65 secures a certificate for one year. 85 with a minimum of 70 secures a certificate of two years. 95 with a minimum of 85 secures a certificate for three years.

Success in the school room will also be taken into consideration in determining the class of certificate.

S. W. Almendinger.
R. B. Bell.
W. P. Moloney, clerk.

LEGAL NOTICE.

J. H. Quaintance, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that Mertie E. Quaintance filed in the court of common pleas of Marion county, Ohio, on December 9th, 1908, her answer and cross-petition in case No. 11952, praying for a divorce from the said J. H. Quaintance on the grounds of willful absence for a period of three years. That said cause will be heard on or after May 6th, 1909, and that said J. H. Quaintance is required to reply to said answer and cross-petition by May 6th, 1909. MERTIE E. QUAINTANCE.
By H. Edmund Hill, her Att'y.
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LEGAL NOTICE.

Robert Myers, Sr., and Robert Myers, Jr., (a minor over fourteen years of age), residing at Hemet, Riverside county, California, will take notice that on the 3rd day of March, 1909, Joseph Short filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Marion county, Ohio, being cause number 12318, against the above named parties and others, praying for the partition of the following described real estate, to-wit:

Situated in the Township of Pleasant, County of Marion and State of Ohio, and known as and bounded as follows: Commencing at a stone in the southeast corner of the west half of the northwest quarter of Section Four (4), Township No. Six (6), Range No Fifteen (15) east; thence north nine (9) and 23-100 chains to a stone; thence west parallel to the half section line running east and west through said Section Four (4) Five and 77-100 (5.77) chains to the center of the Marion and Middletown gravel pike; thence south with center of said pike south 21½ degrees W. until it intersects the half section line running E. and W. through said Section Four (4); thence east with said half section line to the place of beginning, containing seven and 50-100 (7.50) acres.

Also the following, known as a part of Section Four (4), Township Six (6), S. Range Fifteen (15), bounded and described as follows: Being lot six in the sub-division of the lands of Jacob Baker, to-wit:—Beginning at a stone in the southwest quarter of said section Four; thence on the west line of said lot N. 2 degrees, W. 10.23 chains to a stake; thence east 5 chains to a stake; thence south 2 degrees, east 10 and 23-100 chains to a stake in the half section line; thence south 89½ degrees W. on said line 5.00 chains to the place of beginning, containing 5 11-100 acres of land, be the same more or less, but subject to all legal highways. Said above described tracts of land containing in the aggregate twelve and 61-100 acres.

Said parties are required to answer on or before the 15th day of May, A. D., 1909, or judgment may be taken against them. JOSEPH SHORT.
W. N. Harder, plaintiff's attorney.
46-wk-f-6

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HOCKING VALLEY.

North—7 a. m.; 10:15 a. m.; 4:20 p. m.; 10:50 p. m.; 6:10 p. m. Logan to Marion only.

South—5:50 a. m.; 7:20 a. m. 10:15 a. m.; 1:35 p. m.; 7:15 p. m.

BIG FOUR.

Eastbound—9:25 a. m.; 12:25 noon; 7:22 p. m.; 10:57 p. m.; 11:19 p. m.; 5:27 p. m.

Westbound—2:38 a. m.; 5:53 a. m.; 9:55 a. m.; 1:55 p. m.; 7:25 p. m.; 4:27 p. m.

CHICAGO & ERIE.

West—*7:10 a. m.; 10:25 a. m.; *5:30 p. m.; 11 p. m.; 12:45 a. m.

East—4:55 a. m.; 8:35 a. m.; 6:15 p. m.; *5:20 p. m., Chicago to Marion only.

* Daily except Sunday.

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Southwest—10:27 a. m.; 4:35 p. m.; 1:15 a. m.

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North—12:30 p. m.; 6:55 p. m. Daily except Sunday. 8:26 p. m. Sundays only.

South—9:53 a. m.; daily and 8:01 p. m. daily except Sunday.

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New Head of Boys' Industrial Home.

Columbus, O., April 20.—Governor Harmon will appoint Major Frank G. Geriach of Wooster superintendent of the Boys' Industrial home, Lancaster, to succeed G. B. Adams.

JEFFRIES ANNOUNCES HE WILL FIGHT AGAIN

Will Fight Winner of Johnson-Ketchell Fight.

WILL SO PUBLICLY ANNOUNCE TONIGHT

Lashed to Fury by Delaney's Assertions That He Is Bunconing the Public—Jeff Says That All His Old Speed and Strength Is Coming Back—Will Train for Wind.

New York, April 20.—Jeffries has broken his long silence. Tonight at the close of his performance at the American Music hall he will announce to the public that he will meet the winner of the Stanley Ketchell-Jack Johnson fight next October for the championship of the world.

Lashed to fury by the assertions that he was "bunconing" the public with no intention of ever again fighting, made by his old manager, Billy Delaney, Jeffries took the lid off this morning. He was mad clear through when he talked, and made it plain that he believes he will be able to get in as good shape as he was when he cleaned up Jack Munroe, the last man he entered the ring with. At his hotel today the big fellow said:

"Immediately after my exhibition with my sparring partner, Sam Berger, at the American theater tonight, I will announce to the audience that I have decided to reenter the ring again and defend my title of heavyweight champion of the world against any man. If Jack Johnson is fortunate enough to beat Stanley Ketchell next October I will meet him before any club that will offer the most money. I have come to the conclusion that I can get back into my previous good form, which is responsible for my making this announcement. I will be ready to fight again in ten months or a year and I will fight just the same."

The announcement has clarified the heavyweight situation. While Jeffries remained mute there was a chance of all of the aspirants reaping a golden harvest by throwing defis at him and performing in public for good purses. Now that he has announced that he will meet Johnson and he hopes in his heart that Johnson wins the match with Ketchell, it is expected that some of the fighters that have been talking the loudest will quit. Sam Langford is the only one who has been honest in his declarations. He has repeatedly asserted that he wanted no thing to do with Jeffries in the ring while announcing that he can d feat any of the others who have been posing as champions.

The big clubs are expected to start bidding at once for the match. As stated by the United Press ten days ago, McIntosh, the Australian promoter, will be back here in three weeks to talk business in behalf of his Australian club. The coast clubs are all expected to bid, and, as a result of the popularity of the game in France and the fact that finish bouts are allowed there, it is expected that there will be a bid from the newly-organized National club of Paris.

Discussing his train ng today, Jeffries said:

"Since I left the coast and have been indulging in light exercise to get my wind back I have been surprised at the ease with which I have gone through the pace. I have taken on twenty pounds of soft flesh and replaced it with some good substantial muscle. All my old speed and strength is coming back and I feel so good that I have decided that I might as well declare myself now as any time. But I expect to take it easy in training until a couple of months before the date finally fixed for the fight. I will keep at the work that will bring back my wind. That is what I need most. I still have the punch and all that goes with it. I intend also to have my wind all right so that I can be decided as that my friends will have nothing to fear."

At the close of his theatrical engagements Jeffries will undertake a Pacific coast trip. This is the big fellow's favorite method of training.

The New York sporting public is admittedly elated today over Jeffries' announcement, and Johnson's next move will be awaited with great interest.

Johnson Is Pleased.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 20.—"That's the very best news I have had in years."

The speaker was Jack Johnson, the heavyweight champion who had just been shown the United Press despatch from New York announcing James J. Jeffries' determination to recover the championship and meet the winner of the Ketchell-Johnson bout.

"Of course I will be the winner," the big black continued "and that means that Jeffries is to fight me. I expect to finish Ketchell in less than ten rounds and I believe that I can turn the trick as quickly.

"Please say for me that I will gladly take on Jeffries two weeks after my fight with Ketchell, before the City hanging up the largest purse.

"I have been trying for years to get a match on with the Big Californian, and I am ready to take

JOHNSON AND KETCHEL, WHO ARE MATCHED FOR TWENTY-ROUND FIGHT

After Stanley Ketchel, the middleweight champion, had seen the moving pictures of the Johnson-Burns fight he was more eager for a match with the big negro than before and lost no time in signing a contract to meet Jackson at the Colma club, San Francisco, on October 12. So anxious was the hard hitting "Montana Kid" for a try at Burns' conqueror that he was willing to concede the twenty-round clause, which Johnson insisted upon, rather than let the chance escape. Johnson and Ketchel are to deposit $5,000 each as a forfeit and are to split fifty per cent. of the gate receipts on the basis of sixty five per cent. to the winner and thirty-five to the loser. Ketchel says he will enter the ring at 160 pounds.

Johnson is willing to take on Langford and Kauffman before he fights Ketchel.

fight with him whenever he says the word. It seems too good to be true.

"Jeffries probably is a good man, but I am the better one, and down in his heart he knows it, too. Frankly, I believe that he is afraid of me, and if I ever get him in a twenty-four foot ring I will agree to knock him out in ten rounds or forfeit my end of the purse. That goes, too."

SAME OLD STORY.

A young man in Baltimore is facing a possible long term entence in state's prison because he is said to have kicked from the city treasury to the profits of about $100,000. And, as in hundreds of this kind, the peculations of this young man, an employe of the city, were due to his desire to "live high," so appears to be that which he was not.

The race track got its send upon him. He was disgusted by it. There were well-dressed men and handsome women, but of all persons withal, whose lives were very much on the surface for which is attended by the glitter, and does not go beyond the superficial, the gloss, the glamour, the tawdry, which attracts him to the gas flame as the moth is drawn to the glare of the candle. To be a Rockefeller, to have plenty of money is to be pitied, to stand it best of all is the man born poorer of the world, who falls into the enjoyment of it. There is no satisfying enjoyment to be had borne with it.—Pittsburg Post.

With a score of sixty tallies a day, which is the record in New York, there are more cricketers than in all Great Britain.

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W. H. WILLIAMS,

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Henry H. F. Severin, ipstructor in zoology and assistant in economic entomology in the Ohio State university, began his career as a newsboy in Milwaukee.

William Thomas Hayward, conceded to be the best jockey of his day, died at his home in Sussex, New Jersey. He was in his sixty-fifth year, having been born at Northampton, England, December 21, 1844.

Frank Gaylm Thompson, of the class of '97, has presented Harvard university with $5,000 for salaries in the department of history and government, with the especial intention of improving the instruction in municipal government.

Mayor Reyburn, of Philadelphia, thinks he would like to break into the journalistic field. He proposes himself as editor in chief and the city of Philadelphia as publisher. With that kind of business-office backing the paper ought to be able to make a success of this paper. Mr. Reyburn's idea is to get out an official sheet telling the people of the Quaker City what they ought to know about affairs at the city hall.

RESPONSIBLE MEN.

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FREEMAN QUITS THE VILLAGE OWING BILLS

A Violin and Cornet Teacher Beats Prospect People.

BUYS TICKET FOR NORTH CAROLINA

Fellow Resides in the Village but a Week and Finds No Trouble in Accumulating a Number of Debts. Hotel, Liveryman and Merchants Mourn Sudden Departure.

Harry Freeman, a teacher on the violin and cornet, who has been making his home at Prospect since a week ago Sunday, packed his belongings, Monday afternoon, and quietly left the little village. Freeman was evidently of a forgetful nature for he also left a number of unpaid bills.

On coming to Prospect, Freeman secured a number of papils on the violin and cornet. He was fast in making acquaintances and with the prefix of "Professor" to his name, he won the respect and trust of a large number of the merchants. Monday morning, Freeman made a trip to Marion on the C. D. & M. and returned to Prospect at noon. After dinner he informed the proprietor of the Central hotel, where he was stopping, that he was going out to give some lessons and that he was expecting his mother and sister. The hotel man was told that if they arrived during his absence he should inform them that he would soon return. He hired a rig at W. A. Smith's barn and drove to Marion. On reaching here he placed the rig in the Davis livery barn and purchased a ticket for a place in North Carolina. He left over the Hocking Valley at 7 o'clock and was seen to pass through Prospect.

Tuesday, Chief Cornwell was called by telephone by the proprietor of the livery barn and asked to locate his rig here. The rig was located and Smith came up, that morning, to secure his property. Besides a hotel and livery bill, Freeman had accounts with a number of merchants for various articles of wearing apparel.

INTERESTING BITS.

The output last year of bituminous coal and coke pig iron was 15,031,863 tons; of anthracite and mixed anthracite and coke pig iron, 255,609 tons; and of charcoal pig iron, 249,146 tons.

Experiments made in Germany prove that the germs of cholera or typhoid may endanger not only those who live below stream, but also those above the polluted point, as fish carry the germs upstream.

The American Iron and Steel association announces that the total production of pig iron in the United States last year was 15,936,018 gross long tons, against 25,781,361 tons in 1907, and 22,992,380 tons in 1905.

The first rotary converter in America, as well as the largest, was built by the General Electric company. These machines are used to change alternating current into direct current for street railway service.

Consul H. D. Van Sant, of Kingston, reports that leading advocates of the conservation of forests in Canada are favoring the establishment of fur farms as a means of utilizing the large tracts of timber lands in the north.

The Dominion hog raisers and packers have been forced, through lack of market facilities for fat hogs, to produce the leaner bacon type, which can be sold to advantage on the British market and is suitable for the export trade.

To avoid the troubles besetting compasses on steel ships, the metal of which deflects the needle, a German inventor has devised a needleless one, in the form of a gyroscope, the axis of which always adusts itself parallel to the earth's axis.

British automobile exports now amount to a value of $22,500,000 a year. Factories are full of orders as a result of the recent automobile show at the Olympia in London. About eighty per cent. of the orders are for closed cars, usually of the landaulet type.

According to a Geneva cable in the New York Sun, a new Zeppelin airship is now being completed which will have a luxuriously furnished saloon cabin, with two bedrooms, one with a bed for the commander and the other with hammocks for the crew.

One of the largest express terminals in the world, that of the North station, Boston, has been equipped with an electric package conveyor which minimizes the labor of the employes and makes safe the handling of the smallest and most fragile packages.

Brolesbaugh May Be Right.

Columbus, O., April 20.—The supreme court evidently believes there is enough in the contention of T. M. Brolesbaugh, of Crawford county, that the state automobile license law is unconstitutional to justify a hearing on the question. The court, Tuesday, permitted Brolesbaugh to file [illegible] the case of his con- [illegible] violating the law.

A. H. Woods has a new play called "The Cat," the chief character of which is a woman of the feline variety.

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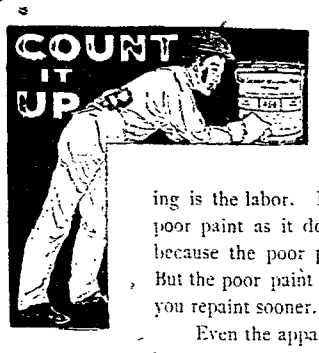

If you stop to figure out where the true economy in paint buying comes, you'll soon see that the best paint is cheapest. Two-thirds the cost of painting is the labor. It costs just as much to put on poor paint as it does good paint—more in fact because the poor paint doesn't work so easily. But the poor paint won't last as long; it makes you repaint sooner.

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Farm and Garden Implements—Drill Seeders, Wheel Hoes with Attachments, Etc.
Just the thing to help you in your garden.
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SECURES KEY WHILE HER HUSBAND SLEEPS

Goes Through His Trunk and Returns the Key,

TO THE POCKET OF HUBBY'S TROUSERS

Mrs. Harry P. Sperrow Finds in the Trunk Picture of Columbus Woman and Letters from Her Which Cause Her To Seek Divorce—Judge B. G. Young Gives Her a Decree.

Emma O. Sparrow, plaintiff in an action for a divorce against Harry P. Sparrow, shyly told Judge B. G. Young, Saturday, how, while her husband slept, she slipped a key from his trousers hanging on the bedpost, then unlocked his trunk and secured several letters written to him by a Columbus woman, with whom he was enamored.

"I thought I had a right to know what was in the trunk, that he kept it locked up from me all the time," said Mrs. Sparrow, whose age is forty-five. And she looked first at her attorney, J. Wilbur Jacoby, then at the court, as if half expecting to be rebuked. Her attorney insisted that she tell the court just how she "did it."

"Well," continued the timid plaintiff, "I opened the trunk, and got the letters. Then I slipped the key back into his pocket and called him to breakfast. After he went away, I read them."

"Did you find anything else in the trunk besides the letters?" Attorney Jacoby asked.

"Yes, I found the girl's picture," replied the woman, "but I put it back."

Mrs. Sparrow further testified that she had purchased a small farm in Delaware county with insurance money she secured at the death of her first husband.

Judge Young granted a decree of divorce, barred the defendant from all dower, and as alimony gave the plaintiff the defendant's interest in a house and lot on Chestnut street. The plaintiff was also restored to her former name of McFarland.

In the matter of C. R. Leftwich and others against the Gebhardt Piano company, Henry Ackerman, the receiver, has been authorized by the court to sell the personal and real property of the defendant corporation for a sum not less than $10,000.

In the suit of S. H. DeLong, receiver, against J. P. Barnthouse, Attorneys Crissinger & Guthery have filed a motion in the common pleas court to require the plaintiff to make his petition more definite and certain.

A petition for a writ of habeas corpus to obtain the freedom of John Knachel, who is confined in jail, was filed in the common pleas court by Attorneys John Himminger and L. E. Myers, Saturday. The petition sets up that Knachel is being unlawfully incarcerated, and that the warrant, commitment and all the proceedings in his case are illegal, and that he is being restrained of his liberty contrary to law.

Knachel was fined in the court of Mayor Louis Schefft for alleged violation of the Rose law, and, because of his inability to pay his fine and costs, was taken to jail.

Judge B. G. Young granted the writ, and set the time of the hearing for Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Ezekiel Brown, through Attorneys C. C. Fisher and Crissinger & Guthery, brought an action in the common pleas court, Saturday afternoon, to recover damages in the sum of $583 from George Roberts. The plaintiff sets up that in November, 1907, he leased over 800 acres in Scott township of the defendant, who bound himself to build certain fences. By reason of the defendant's failure to construct the fence, the plaintiff claims to have sustained various losses. First, he says, he lost the use of 180 acres of meadow grass and was unable to feed his corn to his cattle and hogs on the stalk, because of the defendant's failure to build the required fence.

The plaintiff also sets up that the defendant in October, 1908, set fire to some weeds and grass along a certain ditch, with the result that he lost blue grass valued at $100, timothy worth $50 and had to pay John Mitchell, a nearby farmer, five dollars damages as a result of his hogs getting into Mitchell's fields following the burning of certain fence. He also says that Roberts agreed to purchase seed from him for the sowing of a certain number of acres at two dollars a bushel.

Benjamin Waddel, through Attorneys Copeland & Bartram, has begun suit in the common pleas court against Minnie A. Palmer and others to recover $200, which amount, he claims, the defendant is indebted to him.

In the partition suit of Mary J. Leverton against Ellen Mack and others, the answers of Elizabeth Frey, Martha C. Schoenlaub and J. J. Schoenlaub have been filed in the common pleas court through Attorney P. J. Monahan.

A transcript of the paternity suit of Mary B. Hindman against Chester England, which was started in the court of Justice W. H. DeRoche, of Sale Rock township, has been filed in the common pleas court. England furnished bond in the sum of $300.

THE LODGE WORLD.

Twenty members of Lime City Council, No. 206, Jr. O. U. A. M., visited Bucyrus, Monday night, the local team assisting in the work of initiating a class of four candidates. Following the initiatory work, the Past Counsellors' association was completed and by-laws adopted. The association includes Marion, Crawford, Richland and Ashland counties.

The Marion delegation returned home in a special interurban car, arriving here at 11:40. The return trip was made in thirty-five minutes.

The Degree of Pocahontas held a mask social in the lodge hall, Monday evening. The attendance was very large. Nearly all of the members were masked. After a grand march, prizes were awarded, Mrs. P. F. Ruhl receiving the prize for the most comic costume and Mrs. Henry Mumford winning the prize for the most hideous creation. After the masks were removed, a business session was held and several applications acted upon. A social time and banquet followed.

The degree will be conferred at the next meeting of the order in two weeks.

PROSPECT YOUNG PEOPLE MARRIED

Miss McWherter and Mr. Perry Hughes.

Prospect, April 19.—[Special.]—Miss Meta McWherter and Mr. Perry Hughes were united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage by Rev. A. J. Clere, Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock. Both are well-known young people. They will reside on Mr. Hughes' farm two miles northwest of here. Mrs. Hughes is a daughter of Mr. B. McWherter, of near Prospect.

GUARDING AGAINST SPREAD OF DISEASE

Governor Harmon Takes Action in Matter.

To guard against the possible spread of tuberculosis among cattle in Ohio, Governor Judson Harmon has issued a proclamation that no cattle can be shipped into the state, hereafter, for breeding or dairy purposes, but such as have been examined by a capable veterinarian and found clear of the disease. Such cattle must be accompanied by a certificate of good health.

Huber Is Quoted.

Frank A. Huber, treasurer of the Marion Steam Shovel company, was in Columbus Friday from Marion and said that his company is preparing to largely extend its facilities during this year. In addition to a fine office building, for which the plans are almost completed, the company will erect several large additions to its operating plant. When these are completed the company will be in position to handle all the business which it may secure. Mr. Huber said that business with the company is coming along steadily and the outlook is good. With the tariff agitation out of the way orders are expected to come in rapidly.—Ohio State Journal.

F. A. Stengle, optician, S. State St. 210-e-&wk

Legislator's Offer to Mothers.

One dollar a babe is the price Iowa ought to be willing to pay to Iowa mothers is the estimate of Dr. Fulliam, president of the Iowa State Medical association. Dr. Fulliam introduced a measure the other day making such a provision into the Iowa house. The bill provides that if the mother presents notice of her child's birth to the county clerk within three months after birth and accompanies the notice with a physician's certificate she is to be given an order on the county treasurer for $1. No provision is made for twins or triplets.

Public Sale of SHEEP!

At Farm, one-half mile east of Polk, Ashland county, Ohio,

Rain or shine—Sale under cover,

On Wednesday, April 28, 1909.

500 head of Registered Delaine and Rambouillets

Consisting of 175 Ewes, with Lamb by side; 125 Ewes, one and two years old; 100 Rams, one, two and three years old. All the sheep with 12 months growth of wool.

Every sheep sold to the highest bidder, and none reserved. In small lots, better to enable any person to secure some of the Best Blood and Breeding to be found in Ohio.

On main line of Erie Railway, and The Cleveland Southwestern & Columbus Traction Co., passing through the farm. Stop 42,

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THE WANDERER TAKEN TO A LOCAL HOSPITAL

Stranger Is Found in Vicinity of Caledonia.

LOCAL PHYSICIAN EXAMINES THE MAN

A Sufferer of Tuberculosis Unable To Tell His Name or Give His Address. Is Supposed To Be William Ernst, of Oshkosh—An Effort To Locate Man's Friends.

William Ernst is believed to be the name of a stranger, whose peculiar mental condition has caused the county authorities to take charge of him. He is now confined at the Central Emergency hospital under the care of Dr. J. B. Taylor, who says he is suffering of tuberculosis in its first stages.

Ernst was discovered wandering aimlessly about in the vicinity of Caledonia. In his pocket was found a bank book bearing the name of William Ernst and showing that over $80 had been placed in a German bank at Oshkosh, Wisconsin, by him.

The man seems to be suffering of the peculiar malady of mental lapse. He can remember nothing save that he was put on a train and given a ticket, which, when unfolded, was a foot long. He cannot recall his own name or tell how he happened to be near Caledonia. He can answer questions, but his interviewer must wait a long time for his reply.

Saturday afternoon, the strangely-afflicted man was brought to Marion by Marshal Philip Meister, who had a warrant to take him to the county infirmary. The infirmary directors, however, refused to take him and the stranger was turned over to the county commissioners, who, through the influence of Dr. Taylor and Humane Officer J. W. Uish, ordered him sent to the hospital.

The Oshkosh authorities have been notified.

MRS. MARY WEIST CLAIMED BY DEATH

Death Comes, Sunday, After a Long Illness.

LaRue, April 19.—[Special.]—Mrs. Mary Weist, widow of the late Philip Weist, who died twelve years ago, died at her home four miles north of LaRue, Sunday evening at 5 o'clock. She was seventy-two years of age and had been ill most of the past winter. About a week ago, she became worse, suffering of acute indigestion which caused her death.

Mrs. Weist, with her husband, moved to this place thirty years ago from Richland township. She was a member of the German Lutheran church in Richwood township, and was a good Christian woman, loved by all who knew her. She is survived by seven children; Samuel, who lives on the home place; Mrs. N. F. Virden, John and William Weist, of near LaRue; Mrs. W. F. Halliday, of LaRue; Mrs. Laura Diltz and Mrs. Lydia Glass, of Memphis, Tennessee.

The funeral will be held, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the late residence, Rev. J. A. Sutton officiating. Burial will be made in the LaRue cemetery.

MINISTERS HEAR EXCELLENT PAPER

A Plan To Get Clerks and Other People to Church.

A largely-attended meeting of the Marion Ministerial association was held Monday morning, in the library building. Rev. J. W. Miles read a paper on "The Importance of Observing the Churches' Festal Days." An interesting discussion of the paper followed its reading. Committees were appointed by the association to work in various parts of the city, canvassing the business places to have them close at 10 o'clock Saturday nights and not make any deliveries after 8 o'clock. The object of this is to have the shopping done earlier so that the patrons and clerks will have plenty of time to get ready to attend church Sundays.

Special Services.

Regular bi-monthly services were held, Sunday afternoon, at the Marion County Children's home. Dr. J. L. Hensley spoke, chosing for his subject "The Trinity." Dr. Hensley gave an interesting as well as instructive address. The home choir rendered several vocal selections.

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At all druggists', 25c., 50c. and $1.

Don't accept anything else.

JACOB L. RIZOR DIES NEAR LARUE

Death Comes as Result of a Long Illness.

LaRue, April 19.—[Special.]—Mr. Jacob L. Rizor, aged fifty-five years, eight months and four days, died at his home five miles southwest of here, Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock. His death was caused by a severe attack of grip and a complication of diseases, of which he had been a sufferer for the past two months.

Mr. Rizor was a prosperous farmer and held in high esteem by all. He was born in Bowling Green township and has resided there ever since. November 13, 1875, he was united in marriage with Miss Susan Dodd, who died about five years ago. To this union were born ten sons, eight of whom survive. They are Clifton, of Bellevue, Michigan; Charles and Edward, of Battle Creek, Michigan; John and Bird, of near Mt. Victory, and Harley, Morton and Earl who reside at home. One brother, Samuel Risor, of near LaRue, and three half brothers and two half sisters survive.

The funeral was held this afternoon from the M. P. church at Fairview and was in charge of the local I. O. O. F. lodge of which the deceased was a member. Rev. J. A. Sutton delivered the funeral sermon. Interment was made in the church cemetery.

DE VENY TO CLOSE OUT HIS BUSINESS

Proprietor of Racket Store To Quit Retail Business.

W. B. DeVeny, proprietor of the Racket store on north Main street, has announced that he proposes to close out his entire stock and retire from the retail business.

The Racket store has grown from an original stock of less than $400, about sixteen years ago, to one of Marion's leading popular-priced stores, carrying a stock which is frequently advertised as embracing "everything from a pin to a switch engine."

Mr. DeVeny has been desirous of retiring from active retail business to enter other lines for some time past, and being unable to attract a buyer, will sell out the entire stock by making sale prices.

JACKSON HOME IS SCENE OF MARRIAGE

Miss Jackson and Mr. Harry L. Watkins Married.

Miss Eva Frances Jackson and Mr. Harry LeRoy Watkins were united in marriage at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary Jackson, of Darius street, Saturday afternoon. Rev. H. V. McCleary performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of John W. C. Jackson, who was shot and killed last November by Erie Detective Hamilton R. Curry, and is the second daughter to be married since the tragedy.

ARE MARRIED AT HOME OF PASTOR

Miss Mary Green and Mr. John F. Ryan United.

The marriage of Miss Mary Green and Mr. John F. Ryan was celebrated at the home of Rev. H. H. Holverstott, at 12:30 o'clock Sunday.

Mrs Ryan is a young woman of pleasing personality and has many friends throughout the city. Mr. Ryan is in the service of the Erie at the local transfer house and is held in the high regard of many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryan will make their future home in this city.

JOINED IN MARRIAGE AT SUTTON HOME

Mrs. Malissa Haines and Mr. William H. Conley.

LaRue, April 19.—[Special.]—Mrs. Malissa Haines, of Ridgeway, and Mr. William H. Conley, of Mt. Victory, were united in marriage by Rev. J. A. Sutton at his home in LaRue, Saturday evening. Mr. Conley is in the employ of the Big Four railway at Mt. Victory. They will reside at Ridgeway.

Dash Through Streets.

A horse hitched to a light spring wagon, owned and driven by a man named Myers, took fright at an automatic cleaning machine on south Main street, Monday, and ran away. The animal started at Columbia street, going through the city at a mad rate of speed. Several pedestrians and rigs narrowly escaped being hit. The driver managed to keep the horse in the center of the street until he reached Patten street. Here the harness broke and the horse freed himself. The driver jumped from the wagon and escaped injury.

After May 10th Rosenberg's shoe store will be located at first door south of Haberman Hardware Co. 47wk-4

Young Child Dies.

The one-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morris, of near Green Camp, died Saturday, of inanition. The remains were interred the same day.

DON'T GO HOME WITHOUT A STAR.

Whenever you are in Marion on Saturday afternoons, don't go home without a Daily Star. It has 16 to 20 pages of interesting reading matter, enough to last all day Sunday. Two cents per copy of newsboys or at the Star office. 30-wky-tf

STEPHEN H. SWENEY DIES VERY SUDDENLY

The Passing of a Prominent Prospect Merchant.

HIS DEATH COMES WITHOUT WARNING

Mr. Sweney Is Engaged in Business at the Village During the Past Twenty Years and Is Widely Known and Highly Respected—Wife Finds Him Unconscious Sunday.

Prospect, April 19.—[Special.]—Stephen H. Sweney died at his home here, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, of dropsy of the heart. Mr. Sweney was fifty-six years of age, and was the proprietor of a general merchandise store at this place. He had been ill for the past few months, but was able to be in the store Saturday. That evening, he retired feeling as well as usual. Sunday morning, when his wife went to awaken him she found him unconscious. Medical aid was summoned, but he died in the afternoon without regaining consciousness.

Mr. Sweney was one of Prospect's most progressive citizens and had been engaged in business here over twenty years. He was a highly-respected man, and his demise comes as a shock to the citizens of Prospect and vicinity. We was born in the southern part of the state, coming to this place when a young man.

A widow, two sons and one daughter, Frank, Earl and Grace survive. The children are all at home. He is also survived by two brothers, S. V. Sweney, of Columbus, and Britton Sweney, of near Prospect.

The funeral services will be held, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at the M. E. church, Rev. J. J. Haliday officiating. Interment will be made in the Prospect cemetery.

MRS. E. CASTNER MOVES HER STORE

A Record-Breaking Change in Quarters Made.

Mrs. E. Castner opened her millinery department in the rear of the west room of New Yorkstore Monday morning. In order to be ready for business at once, Mrs. Castner established a record for moving. Saturday night after 9 o'clock, she started to vacate her room in the Bennett block, on west Center street, her new quarters being partly in shape for occupancy. All of the stock was moved, Saturday night, and placed in order in her new room Monday morning, so that by noon she was ready for business.

Mrs. Castner will not have her opening until after the work of remodeling the New York store is completed. Work on the front of the store will be started next week. She is much pleased with her new location, having much larger quarters and being enabled to carry a much larger stock. She intends enlarging and making a number of improvements, but is now ready to look after her patrons' wants.

THE UNFORTUNATE IS KNOWN HERE

Mrs. Benjamin Hopp Dies of Her Burns at Nevada.

Mrs. J. G. Mann, of Mt. Vernon avenue, was called to Nevada, Saturday, by the death of her cousin, Mrs. Benjamin Hopp, who died, Friday evening, of burns sustained that morning by an explosion of varnish and turpentine. Mr. Hopp was cleaning a varnish can with turpentine and had set the can on the stove for a moment to warm, when the explosion occurred. Mrs. Hopp was standing near and her clothing caught fire. Mr. Hopp, his daughter and grandson were badly burned about the hands trying to extinguish the flames. Mrs. Hopp was known by a number of people in this city. The funeral was held, Sunday afternoon.

After May 10th Rosenberg's shoe store will be located at first door south of Haberman Hardware Co. 47wk-1

THE DIRECTORS OF THE FAIRBANKS COMPANY

Hold a Meeting and Organize for the Year.

The board of directors of the Fairbanks Steam Shovel company held its annual meeting Thursday and organized by electing James G. Fairbanks, president; R. M. Imbody, vice president; W. E. Scofield, secretary, and R. C. McCollem, treasurer.

Women's hand turn Fitzeyys for "tenderest feet," sold by Beatty & Long's cut price shoe store. See window for money savers. 1-c

Change in Business.

Don Davis, for several years identified with the electrical business of the city has purchased the Ohio Electric company's business of A. H. Honefanger. Mr. Davis is already in possession. He will carry on the electric sign business on a large scale and will also conduct a general electric supply house, in addition to general contracting.

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The WHITE CAT

By W. W. JACOBS

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THE traveler stood looking from the taproom window of the Cauliflower at the falling rain. The village street below was empty and everything was quiet with the exception of the garrulous old man smoking with much enjoyment on the settle behind him.

It'll do a power o' good—said the ancient, craning his neck round the edge of the settle and turning a bleared eye on the window—I ain't like some folk. I never did mind a drop o' rain.

The traveler grunted and, returning to the settle opposite the old man, fell to lazily stroking a cat which had strolled in attracted by the warmth of the small fire which smoldered in the grate.

He's a good mouser—said the old man—but I expect that Smith, the landlord, would sell 'im to anybody for arf a crown, but we 'ad a cat in Claybury once that you couldn't ha' bought for a 'undred golden sovereigns.

A white cat with one yaller eye and one blue one—continued the old man—sounds queer, but it's true.

It used to belong to old man Clark, young Joe Clark's uncle. He used to call it 'is blue eyed darling, and the fuss he made o' that cat was sinful.

Young Joe Clark couldn't bear it, but, being down in 'is uncle's will for five cottages and a bit o' land bringing in about £40 a year, he 'ad to 'ide his feelings and pretend as he loved it. He used to take it little drops o' cream and tidbits o' meat, and old Clark was so pleased that he promised 'im that he should 'ave the cat along with all the other property when he was dead.

Young Joe said he couldn't thank 'im enough, and the old man, who 'ad been ailing a long time, made 'im come up every day to teach 'im 'ow to take care of it arter he was gone. He taught Joe 'ow to cook its meat and then chop it up fine, 'ow it liked a clean saucer every time for its milk and 'ow he wasn't to make a noise when it was asleep.

"Take care your children don't worry it, Joe," he ses one day, very sharp. "One o' your boys was pulling its tail this morning, and I want you to clump his 'ead for 'im."

"Which one was it?" ses Joe.

"The slobbery nosed one," ses old Clark.

"I'll give 'im a clout as soon as I get 'ome," ses Joe, who was very fond of 'is children.

"Go and fetch 'im and do it 'ere," ses the old man. "That'll teach 'im to love animals."

Joe went off 'ome to fetch the boy, and arter his mother 'ad washed his face and wiped his nose an' put a clean pinneyfore on 'im he took 'im to 'is uncle's and clouted his 'ead for 'im. Arter that Joe and 'is wife 'ad words all night long, and next morning old Clark, coming in from the garden, was just in time to see 'im kick the cat right acrost the kitchen.

He could 'ardly speak for a minute, and when he could Joe see plain wot a fool he'd been. Fust of all he called Joe every name he could think of—which took 'im a long time—and then he ordered 'im out of 'is house.

"You shall 'ave my money wen your betters have done with it," he ses, "and not afore. That's all you've done for yourself."

Joe Clark didn't know wot he meant at the time, but when old Clark died three months arterward he found out. His uncle 'ad made a new will and left everything to old George Barstow for as long as the cat lived, providing that he took care of it. When the cat was dead the property was to go to Joe.

The cat was only two years old at the time, and George Barstow, who was arf crazy with joy, said it shouldn't be 'is fault if it didn't live another twenty years.

The funny thing was the quiet way Joe Clark took it. He didn't seem to be at all cut up about it, and when Henery Walker said it was a shame he said he didn't mind, and that George Barstow was a old man, and he was quite welcome to 'ave the property as long as the cat lived.

"It must come to me by the time I'm an old man," he ses, 'and that's all I care about."

Henery Walker went off, and as he passed the cottage where old Clark used to live and which George Barstow 'ad moved into he spoke to the old man over the palings and told 'im wot Joe Clark 'ad said. George Barstow only grunted and went on stooping and prying over 'is front garden.

"Bin and lost something?" ses Henery Walker, watching 'im.

"No; I'm finding," ses George Barstow, very fierce, and picking up some thing. "That's the fifth bit o' powdered liver I've found in my garden this morning."

Henery Walker went off whistling and the opinion he'd 'ad o' Joe Clark began to improve. He spoke to Joe about it that afternoon, and Joe said that if he ever accused 'im o' such a thing again he'd knock 'is 'ead off. He said that he 'oped the cat 'ud live to be a hundred and that he'd no more think of giving it poisoned meat than Henery Walker would of paying for 'is drink so long as he could get anybody else to do it for 'im.

They 'ad bets up at this 'ere Cauliflower public 'ouse that evening as to 'ow long that cat 'ud live. Nobody gave it more than a month, and Bill Chambers set and thought o' so many ways o' killing it on the sly that it was wunnerful to hear 'im.

George Barstow took fright when he 'eard of them, and the care he took o' that cat was wunnerful to behold. Arf its time it was shut up in the back bedroom, and the other arf George Barstow was fussing arter it till that cat got to hate 'im like p'ison. Instead o' giving up work, as he'd thought to do, he told Henery Walker that he'd never worked so 'ard in his life.

"Wot about fresh air and exercise for it?" ses Henery.

"Wot about Joe Clark?" ses George Barstow. "I'm tied 'and and foot I dursent leave the house for a moment. I ain't been to the Cauliflower since I've 'ad it, and three times I got out o' bed last night to see if it was safe."

"Mark my words," ses Henery Walker; "if that cat don't 'ave exercise you'll lose it."

"I shall lose it if it does 'ave exercise," ses George Barstow, "that I know."

He sat down thinking arter Henery Walker 'ad gone, and then he 'ad a little collar an' chain made for it and took it out for a walk. Pretty nearly every dog in Claybury went with 'em, and the cat was in such a state o' mind afore they got 'ome he couldn't do anything with it. It 'ad a fit as soon as they got indoors, and George Barstow, who 'ad read about children's fits in the almanac, gave it a warm bath. It brought it round immediate, and then it began to tear round the room and up and down stairs till George Barstow was afraid to go near it.

It was so bad that evening, sneezing, that George Barstow sent for Bill Chambers, who'd got a good name for doctoring animals, and asked 'im to give it something. Bill said he'd got some powders at 'ome that would cure it at once, and he went and fetched 'em and mixed one up with a bit o' butter.

"That's the way to give a cat medicine," he ses; "smear it with the butter and then it'll lick it off, powder and all."

He was just going to rub it on the cat when George Barstow caught 'old of 'is arm and stopped 'im.

"How do I know it ain't p'ison?" he ses. "You're a friend o' Joe Clark's, and for all I know he may ha' paid you to p'ison it."

"I wouldn't do such a thing," ses Bill. "You ought to know me better than that."

"All right," ses George Barstow; "you eat it then, and I'll give you 2 shillings instead o' 1. You can easy mix some more."

"Not me," ses Bill Chambers, making a face.

"Well, 3 shillings, then," ses George Barstow, getting more and more suspicious like; "4 shillings, 5 shillings."

Bill Chambers shook his 'ead and George Barstow, more and more certain that he 'ad caught 'im trying to kill 'is cat and that 'e wouldn't eat the stuff, rose 'im up to 10 shillings.

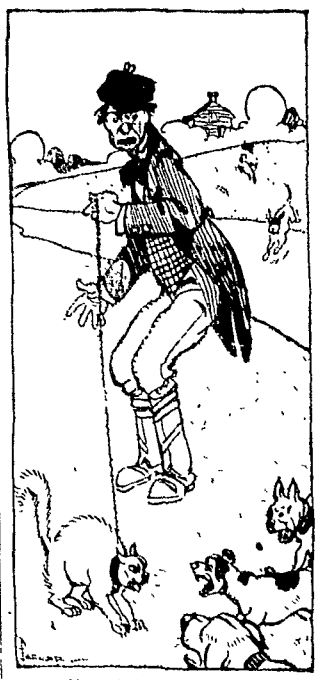
Bill looked at the butter and then 'e looked at the 10 shillings on the table, and at last he shut 'is eyes and gulped it down and put the money in 'is pocket

"You see, I 'ave to be careful, Bill," ses George Barstow, rather upset.

Bill Chambers didn't answer 'im. He sat there as white as a sheet and making such extraordinary faces that George was arf afraid of 'im.

"Anything wrong, Bill?" he ses at last.

Bill sat staring at 'im, and then all of a sudden clapped 'is 'andkerchief to 'is



He took it out for a walk.

mouth and, getting up from his chair, opened the door and rushed out. George Barstow thought at fust that he 'ad eaten p'ison for the sake o' the 10 shillings, but when 'e remembered that Bill Chambers 'ad got the most delikit stummick in Claybury he altered 'is mind.

The cat was better next morning, but George Barstow had 'ad such a fright about it he wouldn't let it go out of 'is sight, and Joe Clark began to think that he would 'ave to wait longer for that property than he had thought, arter all. To 'ear 'im talk anybody'd ha' thought that he loved that cat. We didn't pay much attention to it up at the Cauliflower 'cre ex cept maybe to wink at 'im, a thing he couldn't bear, but at 'ome, o' course, his young 'uns thought as everything he said was gospel, and one day, coming 'ome from work, as he was passing George Barstow's he was paid out for 'is deceitfulness.

"I've wronged you, Joe Clark," ses George Barstow, coming to the door, "and I'm sorry for it."

"Oh!" ses Joe, staring.

"Give that to your little Jimmy," ses George Barstow, giving 'im a shilling. "I've give 'im one, but I thought arterward it wasn't enough."

"What for?" ses Joe, staring at 'im ag'in.

"For bringing my cat 'ome," ses George Barstow. "'Ow it got out I can't think, but I lost it for three hours, and I'd about given it up when your little Jimmy brought it to me in 'is arms. He's a fine little chap, and he does you credit."

Joe Clark tried to speak, but he couldn't get a word out, and Henery Walker, wot 'ad just come up and 'eard wot passed, took hold of 'is arm and helped 'im 'ome. He walked like a man in a dream but arfway he stopped and cut a stick from the hedge to take 'ome to little Jimmy. He said the boy 'ad been asking him for a stick for some time, but up till then he'd always forgotten it.

At the end o' the fust year that cat was still alive, to everybody's surprise, but George Barstow took such care of it he never let it out o' 'is sight. Every time he went out he took it with 'im in a hamper, and, to prevent its being poisoned, he paid Isaac Sawyer, who 'ad the biggest family in Claybury, sixpence a week to let one of 'is boys taste its milk before it had it.

The second year it was ill twice, but the horse doctor that George Barstow got for it said that it was 'ard as nails and with care it might live to be twenty. He said that it wanted more fresh air and exercise, but when he 'eard 'ow George Barstow come by it he said that p'raps it would live longer indoors arter all.

At last one day, when George Barstow 'ad been living on the fat o' the land for nearly three years, that cat got out ag'in. George 'ad raised the front room winder two or three inches to throw something outside, and afore he knew wot was 'appening the cat was outside and going up the road about twenty miles an hour.

George Barstow went arter it, but he might as well ha' tried to catch the wind. The cat was arf wild with joy at getting out ag'in, and he couldn't get within arf a mile of it.

He stayed out all day without food or drink, following it about until it came on dark, and then o' course he lost sight o' it, and, hoping against 'ope that it would come 'ome for its food, he went 'ome and waited for it. He sat up all night dozing in a chair in the front room with the door left open, but it was all no use, and arter thinking for a long time wot was best to do he went out and told some o' the folks it was lost and offered a reward of £5 for it.

You never saw such a hunt then in all your life. Nearly every man, woman and child in Claybury left their work or school and went to try and earn that £5. By the arternoon George Barstow made it £10, provided the cat was brought 'ome safe and sound, and people as was too old to walk stood at their cottage doors to snap it up as it came by.

Joe Clark was hunting for it 'igh and low, and so was 'is wife and the boys. In fact, I b'lieve that everybody in Claybury excepting the parson and Bob Pretty was trying to get that £10.

O' course we could understand the parson—'is pride wouldn't let 'im; but a low, poaching, thieving rascal like Bob Pretty turning up 'is nose at £10 was more than we could make out. Even on the second day, when George Barstow made it £10 down and a shilling a week for a year besides, he didn't offer to stir; all he did was to try and make fun o' them as was looking for it.

"Have you looked everywhere you can think of for it, Bill?" he ses to Bill Chambers.

"Yes, I 'ave," ses Bill.

"Well, then, you want to look everywhere else," ses Bob Pretty. "I know where I should look if I wanted to find it."

"Why don't you find it, then?" ses Bill.

"Cos I don't want to make mischief," ses Bob Pretty. "I don't want to be unneighborly to Joe Clark by interfering at all."

"Not for all that money?" ses Bill.

"Not for £50," ses Bob Pretty. "You ought to know me better than that, Bill Chambers."

"It's my belief that you know more about where that cat is than you ought to," ses Joe Gubbins.

"You go on looking for it, Joe," ses Bob Pretty, grinning. "It's good exercise for you, and you've only lost two days' work."

"I'll give you arf a crown if you let me search your 'ouse, Bob," ses Bill Chambers, looking at 'im very 'ard

"I couldn't do it at the price, Bill," ses Bob Pretty, shaking his 'ead. "I'm a pore man, but I'm very partikler who I 'ave come into my 'ouse."

O' course everybody left off looking at once when they heard about Bob, not that they believed that he'd be such a fool as to keep the cat in his 'ouse, and that evening as soon as it was dark Joe Clark went round to see 'im.

"Don't tell me as that cat's found, Joe," ses Bob Pretty as Joe opened the door.

"Not as I've 'eard of," ses Joe, stepping inside. "I wanted to speak to you about it. The sooner it's found the better I shall be pleased."

"It does you credit, Joe Clark," ses Bob Pretty.

"It's my belief that it's dead," ses Joe, looking at 'im very 'ard, "but I want to make sure afore taking over the property."

Bob Pretty looked at 'im, and then he gave a little cough. "Oh, you want it to be found dead," he ses. "Now, I wonder whether that cat's worth most dead or alive?"

Joe Clark coughed then. "Dead, I should think," he ses at last.

"George Barstow's just 'ad bills printed offering £15 for it," ses Bob Pretty.

"I'll give that or more when I come into the property," ses Joe Clark.

"There's nothing like ready money, though, is there?" ses Bob.

"I'll promise it to you in writing, Bob," ses Joe, trembling.

"There's some things that don't look well in writing, Joe," says Bob Pretty, considering. "Besides, why should you promise it to me?"

"O' course I meant if you found it," ses Joe.

"Well, I'll do my best, Joe," ses Bob Pretty, "and none of us can do no more than that, can they?"

They sat talking and argufying over it for over an hour, and twice Bob Pretty got up and said he was going to see whether George Barstow wouldn't offer more. By the time they parted they was as thick as thieves, and next morning Bob Pretty was wearing Joe Clark's watch and chain, and Mrs. Pretty was up at Joe's 'ouse to see whether there was any of 'is furniture as she 'ad a fancy for.

She didn't seem to be able to make up 'er mind at fust between a chest o' drawers that 'ad belonged to Joe's mother and a grandfather clock. She walked from one to the other for about ten minutes, and then Bob, who 'ad come in to 'elp her, told 'er to 'ave both.

"You're quite welcome," he ses. "Ain't she, Joe?"

Joe Clark said "Yes," and arter he 'ad helped them carry 'em 'ome the Prettys went back and took the best bedstead to pieces, cos Bob said as it was easier to carry that way. Mrs. Clark 'ad to go and sit down at the bottom o' the garden with the neck of 'er dress undone to give herself air, but when she saw the little Prettys each walking 'ome with one of 'er best chairs on their 'eads, she got up and walked up and down like a mad thing.

"I'm sure I don't know where we are to put it all," ses Bob Pretty to Joe Gubbins, wot was looking on with other folks, "but Joe Clark is that generous he won't 'ear of our leaving anything."

"Has 'e gorn mad?" ses Bill Chambers, staring at 'im.

"Not as I knows on," ses Bob Pretty. "It's 'is good 'artedness, that's all. He feels sure that that cat's dead and that he'll 'ave George Barstow's cottage and furniture. I told 'im he'd better wait till he'd made sure, but 'e wouldn't."

Before they'd finished the Prettys 'ad picked that 'ouse as clean as a bone, and Joe Clark 'ad to go and get clean straw for his wife and children to sleep on; not that Mrs. Clark 'ad any sleep that night, nor Joe neither.

Henery Walker was the fust to see what it really meant, and he went rushing off as fast as 'e could run to tell George Barstow. George couldn't believe 'im at fust, but when 'e did he swore that if a 'air of that cat's head was harmed 'e'd 'ave the law o' Bob Pretty, and arter Henery Walker 'ad gone 'e walked round to tell 'im so.

"You're not yourself, George Barstow, else you wouldn't try and take away my character like that," ses Bob Pretty.

"Wot did Joe Clark give you all them things for?" ses George, pointing to the furniture.

"Took a fancy to me, I s'pose," ses Bob. "People do sometimes. There's something about me at times that makes 'em like me."

"He gave 'em to you to kill my cat," ses George Barstow. "It's plain enough for anybody to see."

Bob Pretty smiled. "I expect it'll turn up safe and sound one o' these days," he ses, "and then you'll come round and beg my pardon. P'raps"—

"P'raps wot?" ses George Barstow, after waiting a bit.

"P'raps somebody 'as got it and is keeping it till you've drawed the £15 out o' the bank," ses Bob, looking at 'im very hard.

"I've taken it out o' the bank," ses George, starting. "If that cat's alive, Bob, and you've got it, there's the £15 the moment you 'and it over."

"Wot d'ye mean—me got it?" ses Bob Pretty. "You be careful o' my character"

"I mean if you know where it is," ses George Barstow, trembling all over.

"I don't say I couldn't find it, if that's wot you mean," ses Bob. "I can gin'rally find things when I want to."

"You find me that cat, alive and well, and the money's yours, Bob," ses George, 'ardly able to speak, now that he fancied the cat was still alive.

Bob Pretty shook his 'ead. "No, that won't do," he ses. "S'pose I did 'ave the luck to find that pore animal, you'd say I'd had it all the time and refuse to pay"

"I swear I wouldn't, Bob," ses George Barstow, jumping up.

"Best thing you can do if you want me to try to find that cat," says Bob Pretty, "is to give me the £15 now, and I'll go and look for it at once. I can't trust you George Barstow."

"And I can't trust you," ses George Barstow

"Very good," ses Bob, getting up. "There's no 'arm done. P'raps Joe Clark 'll find the cat is dead and p'raps you'll find it's alive. It's all one to me."

George Barstow walked off 'ome, but he was in such a state o' mind he didn't know wot to do. Bob Pretty turning up 'is nose at £15 like that made 'im think that Joe Clark 'ad promised to pay 'im more if the cat was dead. And at last, arter worrying about it for a couple o' hours, he came up to this 'ere Cauliflower and offered Bob the £15

"Wot's this for?" ses Bob.

"For finding my cat," ses George.

"Look here," ses Bob, handing it back, "I've 'ad enough o' your insults. I don't know where your cat is."

"I mean for trying to find it, Bob," ses George Barstow.

"Oh, well, I don't mind that," ses Bob, taking it. "I'm a 'ardworking man, and I've got to be paid for my time; it's on'y fair to my wife and children. I'll start now."

He finished up 'is beer, and while the other chaps was telling George Barstow wot a fool he was Joe Clark slipped out arter Bob Pretty and began to call 'im all the names he could think of.

"Don't you worry," ses Bob; "the cat ain't found yet."

"Is it dead?" ses Joe Clark, 'ardly able to speak.

"'Ow should I know?" ses Bob; "that's wot I've got to try and find out. That's wot you gave me your furniture for and wot George Barstow gave me the £15 for, ain't it? Now, don't you stop me now, cos I'm goin' to begin looking."

He started looking there and then, and for the next two or three days

His 'ands in 'is pockets looking over garden fences and calling "Puss"

George Barstow and Joe Clark see 'im walking up and down with his 'ands in 'is pockets looking over garden fences and calling "Puss." He asked everybody he see whether they 'ad seen a white cat with one blue eye and one yaller one, and every time he came into the Cauliflower he put his 'ead over the bar and called "Puss," cos, as he said, it was as likely to be there as anywhere else.

It was about a week arter the cat 'ad disappeared that George Barstow was standing at 'is door talking to Joe Clark, who was saying the cat must be dead and he wanted 'is property when he sees a man coming up the road carrying a basket stop and speak to Bill Chambers. Just as he got near them an awful "miaow" come from the basket, and George Barstow and Joe Clark started as if they'd been shot.

"He's found it!" shouts Bill Chambers, pointing to the man.

"It's been living with me over at Ling for a week pretty nearly," ses the man. "I tried to drive it away several times, not knowing that there was £15 offered for it."

George Barstow tried to take 'old of the basket.

"I want that £15 fust," ses the man.

"That's only right and fair, George," ses Bob Pretty, who 'ad just come up. "You've got all the luck, mate. We've been hunting 'igh and low for that cat for a week."

Then George Barstow tried to explain to the man and call Bob Pretty names at the same time, but it was all no good. The man said it 'ad nothing to do with 'im wot he 'ad paid to Bob Pretty, and at last they fetched Policeman White over from Cudford, and George Barstow signed a paper to pay 5 shillings a week till the reward was paid.

George Barstow 'ad the cat for five years arter that, but he never let it get away ag'in. They got to like each other in time and died within a fortnight of each other, so that Joe Clark got 'is property arter all

Wisdom of Infants.

A correspondent of the Manchester Guardian gives a good childish definition: "I once overheard a little boy talking to his younger sister. At length she interrupted him with the question, 'What is a solid?' He paused a few seconds, and then, his eyes brightening, he replied, 'Why, a solid is all one piece, with no empty place inside.' You will not be surprised to hear that the boy is now a B. Sc. and science teacher in one of our Liverpool schools." A little philosopher defined darkness. He was accustomed to having a small light in his bedroom all night. One night he shared his father's room, and the light was turned out altogether. "Oh," he exclaimed in awe-struck tones, "what a big 'ole!"

Mrs. Longworth's Shell Chair.

Curious collections of shells are coming to the United States, and shells as ornaments in every sort of way are seen in modish homes. Mrs. Nicholas Longworth is fond of shells, and she got some exceptionally fine necklaces and bracelets in Hawaii. She has a lovely little shell rocking chair. The woodwork is inlaid with tiny iridescent shells and water color landscapes framed in exquisitely tinted shells. Navy men who go to the south seas are begged by their friends for the small opal shell which is seen so much just now strung on gold for necklaces.

A woman dislikes a neighborhood either because there is too much gossip or because there isn't enough.

PRESIDENT'S OUTFIT FOR HIS BIG HUNT

The Outfit Is Compact and Is Very Easily Carried—A Remarkable Tent.

A remarkable tent which in miniature will provide almost all of the luxuries of a summer home will be part of the equipment of President Roosevelt's African hunting trip. The entire outfit for the expedition was purchased in London, where details of the paraphernalia were recently made public.

The tent is provided with a bathroom, a veranda, a folding bed, a wardrobe and all the appurtenances of a comfortable residence. It is remarkable in the fact that in entirety it might be inclosed in a steamer trunk.

The equipment has been gathered under the supervision of F. C. Selous, a famous pioneer in big game shooting.

The tent, which will accommodate two persons, is 12 by 10 feet and 7 feet 6 inches high in the center. It is lined inside with turkey red twill and has all sorts of pockets to hold odds and ends. It is double ridged, which provides for a second canvas, affording greater protection from the elements and in the heat of the day keeping the interior cooler. Under this second canvas, known as the "fly," the "boys" sleep, sharing the space with their loads.

The bath is of canvas on a folding frame, which by the simplest possible readjustment becomes a washstand. Outside the tent there hangs a canvas water cooler. There are also canvas buckets for carrying the water from the nearest spring.

First in importance inside the tent is the folding bed, fitted with rods for the mosquito curtains. Quickly dismounted, the bed can be neatly packed in a bag, something like that used for carrying golf clubs, and the whole package weighs only about twenty-two pounds. By way of covering there are usually two "Jaeger" sheets and two camel's hair blankets, as in the high altitude it is frequently cold at night. The mattress and pillow are of horsehair and canvas, and the former folds up like a window blind.

Other features of the interior are a folding table weighing about four pounds, a canvas hanging wardrobe, a folding mirror, a dressing roll, replacing the conventional hand dressing case, and the green canvas ground sheet. To the tent poles are attached leather straps, fitted with brass hooks for guns, coats and other articles which it is desirable to hang up.

For lighting it is usual to take several windproof "hurricane" lamps, a mechanical oil lamp requiring no chimney, a collapsible candle lamp and perhaps one or two reading lamps.

Two persons on a three months' big game hunting expedition would want between fifty and sixty native bearers to carry their outfit and provisions. The "boys" are directly under the command of a headman, who acts as guide. Many of the natives are clever cooks, and, with their own ovens placed in a hole in the ground, they will speedily bake bread or roast small game or joints.

For other foods and methods of cooking the hunter takes with him what is called the "cook's box," in the makeup of which great ingenuity is displayed. The box is only about two feet six inches long and fifteen inches wide and is divisioned. In addition to supplies of groceries for the day up to twenty-eight pounds, it contains a large kettle, a frying pan with folding handle, a grill with telescoping handle and a saucepan capable of boiling a large pudding or a round of meat.

In big game hunting it may often arise that death is only to be avoided by having to hand a good weapon, absolutely reliable. The greatest possible care has therefore to be given to the selection of one's guns, rifles, revolvers and other weapons.

For birds and other small game the hunter wants a good English ejector 12 bore double barreled shotgun; for lions and deer the most serviceable weapon is a 303 bore English single barrel rifle or a Mauser or Mannlicher of similar bore—i. e., carrying a cartridge about three inches long. For really big game, such as elephant, rhinoceros and hippopotamus, he must have a first class double barreled, high velocity cordite rifle of 400-500 bore, which carries a cartridge from four and a half to five inches long. Besides these a good English pattern revolver and a first class hunting knife are wanted for emergencies, such as quickly dispatching a wounded animal at close quarters.

Apart from his camping and hunting outfit one man on a three months' big game hunt requires about fifteen "chops." A "chop" is a box of general provisions weighing, complete, sixty pounds.

Among the contrivances not already mentioned which make for comfort in big game shooting are a combined folding spade and pick for trenching round the tent in case of rain, folding metal boottrees, hair clippers and safety razors, barbers being scarce in Uganda; a portable weighing balance, which enables one to give figures to skeptical friends; a patent pump filter, indispensable where the water is thick and muddy; a mincing machine, an alarm clock and a walking stick which at the will of the owner becomes a stool, upon which he can seat himself to wait for big game without undue fatigue.

Occasionally an astute person will make no attempt to see himself as others see him because he prefers to let well enough alone.—Chicago News.

It doesn't take a man of horse sense to run an automobile.

STORIES ARE TOLD OF GREAT ACTOR

He Rises to Fame from Place as Baker—Loves To Play Death Roles.

By common consent Benoit Constant Coquelin, the French actor who recently died at his home in Port-aux-Dames, near Paris, was the foremost comedian of France. Many of his own countrymen regarded him as the artistic heir of Moliere, whose characters he represented better than any other French actor and in whose house, the Theatre Francais, he made his start and won many of his greatest early successes.

Coquelin, the son of a baker at Boulogne-sur-Mer, was born Jan. 23, 1841. It was intended that he should continue in his father's business, but remarkable aptitude for the stage manifested itself in him when he was still a small boy.

When the little Coquelins, Constant and Cadet, were boys their father kept a boulangerie, and as a good baker and good pere de famille he sent his boys to learn the rudiments to "le pere Taverne," who kept an exceedingly elementary school. He considered his further duty done by them when he had clothed them in white drilling, put little white bakers' caps on them and set them respectively to watching the oven or trotting through the streets with baskets of cakes on their heads or long meters of French bread under their arms.

It was soon to be observed, however, that Constant, the elder, was a youth of most unfortunate proclivities for one destined for the baker's profession. Like Rostand's cuisinier poete, he let the bread burn for verses, but in declaiming, not composing, them. The boys would not have been boys if they had not organized some sort of "barn circus," in their case amateur theatricals played in an old abandoned theater.

"I am organizing for this week a grand representation extraordinaire," said the elder Coquelin one day to his admiring little brother.

"What role shall you play?" asked Cadet, awestruck.

"I shall play all the roles," was the answer, and that might almost be taken as the watchword of Coquelin's career.

He had not boasted over his "representation extraordinaire." He played the leading character in four roles, one tragic, one bouffe, one serious, one sentimental, and so worked himself up in the last that he fainted away as he left the stage.

Cadet, pale and excited, conducted his brother home, and the father, evidently feeling that the hand of destiny was too strong for him, a sentiment somewhat assisted by a general complaint of burned brioches among the bakery's buyers, yielded to these signs of vocation and sent his son off to Paris with an income of 1,200 francs a year.

Coquelin was a natural mimic and uncommonly apt in recitation.

In the days of his youth M. Coquelin was ambitious, and the parts he loved best to play were those in which he died, in full view of an appreciative audience, for his art. He had one of these roles one evening at the Boulogne theater and played it splendidly, getting a ringing round of applause as he fell dead upon the stage. Then his troubles started.

The audience's applause woke up a mosquito, which applied itself to M. Coquelin with so much assiduity that the corpse felt it must either scream or scratch. Another actor, who played a general in the corps of which the dead M. Coquelin was a young ensign, was standing near the body and had to say: "See, then, how sad a thing is war! But now this youth was living. Now he is dead—motionless for all time! Nothing save a miracle can give him life again."

But M. Coquelin could hold out no longer. The mosquito was still biting busily, and Coquelin had to sit up and slap his leg. "The miracle has happened!" cried the general, while the audience laughed until it cried at this too lively corpse.

One of the most famous of the Latin quarter clubs in Paris is the Sub Rosa. Coquelin was present one night at the club's weekly late supper, and, having heard that there was a vacancy in the role, the great actor applied for membership. Now, the only rules of the Sub Rosa men are: "Think much. Write little. Be as silent as you can." The presiding officer, with this last rule in mind, answered the applicant by placing before him a tumbler filled so full of water that another drop would have caused it to run over. Coquelin understood. He had evidently been misinformed about a vacancy; the club membership was obviously full.

Over the table was suspended a rose, the club emblem. While the glass still stood before him Coquelin broke a petal from the flower and laid it so gently on the water that not a single drop escaped. A silent man could join and make no trouble. Around the table ran a ripple of smiles and little hand claps and nods of approval, and then, as if of one accord, all began making bread balls. Then a cup was passed from hand to hand, and each deposited his "ballot" in it, and all were found to be round. Not one had been pressed flat in sign of disapproval. So Coquelin joined the Sub Rosa club.

We are admonished to let our light shine before all men, but not to make a Fourth of July fireworks display of it.

The less hair a woman has the more false hair she piles on her head when she starts on false hair.

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RICHWOOD DEFEATS MARYSVILLE TEAM

Baseball Victory Won by a Close Margin.

ARBOR DAY OBSERVED BY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Andrew Middlesworth Dies at Home Northwest of Richwood, After a Protracted Illness—Young People of the Baptist Church Entertained at the Loveless Home—Notes.

Richwood, April 20.—[Special.]—The Richwood High school baseball nine drove to Marysville, Friday, and played the High school team of that place, the game resulting in a score of seven to six in favor of Richwood.

Rev. L. M. Copeland and family, of Norfolk, Virginia, who visited Rev. L. S Colborn and family, at the Baptist parsonage, on east Ottawa street, during the past several days, have gone to Magnetic Springs to make their home. Rev. Mr. Copeland has accepted a call as pastor of the Springdale Baptist church, south of Richwood.

Arbor day was fittingly celebrated, Friday, by the pupils of the Richwood public schools, special programs being rendered in each grade. A number of parents and friends of the pupils attended the exercises.

Mrs. Mary Spratt, Miss Addie Spratt, Mrs. Henry Schmelzer and Mrs. James Maddox, of Richwood, and Mrs. Homer Jolley and Mrs. Sophia Harper, of Essex, were in Columbus, Wednesday and Thursday, in attendance at the Rebekah state assembly, being representatives of their respective lodges. Mrs. Spratt was given the degree of past grand, Wednesday. Mrs. Spratt is the oldest member of Claiborne Rebekah Lodge No. 267, the local order, and has been an active member since its institution here, over thirty-five years ago. She is still able to attend nearly all the regular meetings.

Andrew Middlesworth died, Wednesday, at his home northwest of Richwood, after a week's illness of pneumonia. He was fifty-eight years of age. He spent the greater part of his life on the farm where he died. A widow, mother, three brothers and two sisters survive. Funeral services were held, Friday, from the Friends' church, Rev. Eber Hobson officiating. The remains were taken to Byhalia for interment.

Mrs. E. R Hotsenpiller, of Magnetic Springs, was the guest, Thursday, of Mrs. George W. Kosht, of west Ottawa street.

Misses Hazel and Maude Cramer, of Van Wert, have been guests of their uncle, Rev. Charles B. Cramer, at the M. E. parsonage, since Wednesday.

J. W. Gaston, a former resident of Richwood, is dangerously ill of apoplexy and complications, at his home west of LaRue.

Miss Georgeana Peet spent several days with J. M Kennedy and family, of Marysville, during the past week.

Mrs. B. C. Loveless, Mrs. David Carr and Mr. Walter Ransom entertained the young people of the Baptist church, Friday evening, at the Loveless home, on east Ottawa street. The hours were very delightfully spnt with music and games. In an advertising contest the first prize was awarded Miss Marion C. Marriott, Miss Chloo Clayton receiving the consolation token. During an intermission in the merry-making lunch was served by th hostess. The guests from out of town were Mr. T. R. Nickol of Radnor, and Rev. L. M. Copeland, of Magnetic Springs.

Mrs. Cyrus Stamats has been dangerously ill at her home, west of Richwood, during the past week. Mrs. Stamats has been an invalid for some time, suffering of a complication of diseases.

Joseph Howe, who is attending school at Urbana, spent Saturday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs J. E. Howe, of east Ottawa street.

Mrs. Sellman Gill, of Columbus, visited reatives and old friends in Richwood, Thursday. Mrs. Gill formerly resided here.

Mrs, Edward Howison, who resides sohth of Richwood, was called to Sunbury, Thursday, by the serious illness of her niece.

Mrs. Josephine McDaniels has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. William Hopworth of Columbus, during the past few days.

Rev. W. O. Williams was called to Nevada, Saturday, by the death of a former parishioner, whose funeral sermon he delivered, Sunday.

Mrs. Florabel Bennett, of West Mansfield, has been the guest of Mrs. Bert Spring, during the past week.

ADELAIDE NOTES OF THE PAST WEEK

Little News Items Gathered at the Village.

Adelaide, April 20.—[Special.]—Mr. and Mrs John Shaw, of Cardington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cristopher Sipes of this place.

Miss Emma Devore spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Aye, of Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Haley have returned from their wedding trip. They expect to go to housekeeping in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Squibb.

Harry Bolen is raising his house and expects to build an addition to it.

Quite a number from here attended the quarterly meeting at Edison, Saturday.

The M. E. church was filled Wednesday evening, the occasion being a musical given by the Aeolian quartet of this place, assisted by L B McNeal, Z. A. Meredith and Dr Robert Ramroth, of Marion.

Mrs. Frank Miller is spending the week with her parents, Mr and Mrs. O E Hubble, of Cardington.

Mrs. Eva Krander entertained a number of young people Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bayles, near Caledonia, spent Sunday with their son, Ray Bayles, of this place.

Mrs. L. H. Britton has been confined to the house the past week by an attack of bronchitis.

MOTHER AND HER CHILD MURDERED

Murderer Then Sends Bullet Through His Brain.

Redwing, Minn., April 19.—Freda Tangen, twenty-eight, and her two-year-old baby, were murdered by Ole O. Odden, Jr., of Minneola, who closed the tragedy by sending a bullet crashing through his own brain Sunday. He died several hours later.

Odden was enraged because the girl, to whom he was engaged, was about to leave the village and go to Minneapolis where she was to be employed as a domestic and where her sister, Miss Hanna Tangen lives. Odden met the woman and opened fire. She picked up her baby and started to run across the field. One of the bullets struck her in the neck and she fell dead in the village graveyard.

Odden then went back to the house, shot the baby between the eyes and killed himself.

IMAGINES HE IS VICE PRESIDENT

Henry C. Black, of Caledonia, Taken to Columbus Hospital.

Henry C. Black, of Caledonia, who imagines that he has been elected vice president of the United States, was taken to the state hospital for the insane at Columbus, this afternoon. He is forty-one years of age and has a wife and several children. The cause of his insanity is unknown.

Frank Taylor, aged thirty-four years, whose home is at Mowat, was adjudged insane in the probate court, Saturday, and taken to Columbus, Sunday evening. Taylor was a former soldier in the regular army. His mental condition is due to physical causes.

A DAY IN SPRING.

Old winter is gone and summer is on its way One can almost fancy one feels the passing of a summer breeze. The earth sends up a rich, moist odor, and the birds, hidden among the boughs, are uttering little notes and sounds under their breath. The flowers and plants are peeping through the ground as if afraid to be seen, after being hidden so long. You can almost see the old gardener with his hoe, stirring the soil as if bidding them be not afraid, but come forth and shed their fragrance on the balmy air. It is a pleasure to live and drink in the beauties of nature, for indeed they are many and the world is full of sunshine. How delightful it is to hunt out the hiding place of the trailing arbutus, for it is a shy little flower, and loves to secrete itself beneath the autumn leaves and will only come forth with its sweet pink and white blossom after a most diligent search.

Did you ever take a little jaunt in early spring, seeking wild flowers? You may have to cross a little brook with its faint murmurings, to enter the woods, where, hidden away under the leaves and brush, you will find the lily, the crocus, the Johnny-jump-up and the blue and white violets. The creaking of dead limbs brings forth the softened twang of an oakful of blackbirds, and you stop and listen for they seem to be pleading for the lives of their little friends. You gather your hands full, being careful not to take them all, and emerge again into the sunshine. Hasn't it been a pleasant hour and do you not feel better in mind and morals by the influence of such environments?—Rochester Post Express.

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SALE STARTED MONDAY A. M.

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UNCLAIMED MAIL.

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Men—Alfred Anderson, T. N Adams, J. R. Bovie, Dr. C. C. Bauer, Charles Butler, Tommie Collins, A E. Duffey, Edward Fillabaum, Charles F. Fitzsimons, C. P. Godfrey, W. Y. C. Humes, P. Herr, John Helvetts, L. Handleman, D. J. Hill, A. K. Hall, George Kennedy, H E. Kinders, W A. Lefever, J. Ralph Lancaster, Frank McVey, J. B McGuffin, J. H. Mook, Philip Miller, G S. Pile, James Pierce, P. H. Pugh, Edward Rollans, Dr. C. J. Smith, Cloid Small, Fred Srack, John Woods, Frank J. Weston, A. P. Wilson.

Women—Miss Bessie Andrews, Mrs. E. M. Bell, Miss Beatrice Burford, Mrs. Bertha Dean, Mrs. Emma Evans, Miss Amy Fory, Mrs. Mary Hammond, Miss Edith Hunsicker, Bertha Kreig, Nellie Parr, Mrs. M. A. Stanley Miss Flora Weiss, Mrs. A. C. Watterson Zulella.

Firms—Washburn Crosby company, Marion Glove company, Marion Junk company, Barkley, Miles & Company.

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SECRETARY OF WAR, WIFE AND YACHT THAT TAKES THEM TO PANAMA CANAL

President Taft has placed the presidential yacht the Mayflower at the disposal of Mr Dickinson the secretary of war for a trip to the Panama canal zone The secretary is accompanied by Mrs Dickinson and they sailed for Colon on April 20 The trip was planned as soon as Mr Dickinson assumed the war portfolio Mr Taft directing that the new secretary at once familiarize himself with every detail of the work and conditions along the route of the canal The president's visit to Panama was a memorable one He closely scrutinized everything connected with the big undertaking and it is no secret that he intend to point to the progress on the canal as the achievement of his administration when it is drawing to a close Both the president and the secretary of war are confident that the canal will give the Middle West and the Southwest the greatest impetus those sections have ever experienced since the advent of railroads Both men are interested in the wave of river improvement sentiment that is sweeping over the West and the secretary of war intends to give it attention when he returns from Panama He will remain on the isthmus about four weeks

JACKSON'S SLAYER IS IN EXCELLENT HEALTH

Surrounded by His Relatives in the Court Room

THE WIDOW APPEARS IN DEEP MOURNING

Her Children Are With Her as Witnesses in the Prosecution of the Slayer of Husband and Father The Preliminary Work in the Trial in Progress in Wyandot County

Upper Sandusky April 20—[Special]—Hamilton R Curry the slayer of John W C Jackson has been confined in the Wyandot county jail since March 11 when he was brought here from Marion by Sheriff John G Stark of that city Up until the trial Curry has passed the time in making willow novelties which he has presented to friends and friends and in reading

While Curry appears confident of his acquittal the prosecution is not at all sure that he will be convicted of first degree murder

Mrs S C Curry of Cincinnati mother of the dead murderer the prosecuting wife and two stepdaughters Emma and Sadie Jackson his brother H C Curry and his sister Mrs wife of Marion and his sister Mrs Helen Curry of Cincinnati occupy conspicuous places in the court room The prisoner seems full of hope and apparently in good health and with his counsel and frequently consults with one or more of them during the progress of the trial

Mrs Mary Jackson widow of the slain man sits on one side of the court room well up in front She is dressed in deep mourning and to her side are the children including the daughters married within the past few days The two bride and grooms will testify in the case Those are John W Earnhard and his wife who was formerly Bertha Jackson and Harry Watkins and his wife the latter being Eva Jackson Earnhard the last couple were married in Marion last Sunday

The twelve men who are to try Hamilton R Curry the Erie railroad company's detective for the murder of John W C Jackson accompanied by Sheriff Veith of Wyandot county arrived in Marion from Upper Sandusky at 11 o'clock this afternoon to view the scene a short distance west of the city on the old Hilderbrand farm now owned by the Erie Railroad company where Jackson was shot and killed on the afternoon of November 6 1908

The task of impanelling the jury was completed at Upper Sandusky Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock when court adjourned with the understanding that the jury would visit the scene of the murder today

The jury is composed of W A Tucker of Nevada a furniture dealer M L Kear of Millbin township a farmer Herbert Bixby of Crawford a former United States regular army soldier George Inman of Millbin township a farmer Charles Ballard of Nevada a horse buyer P K Gimbel of Sycamore township a farmer Charles Lind of Tymochtee township a farmer John Johnson of Wharton township a farmer Forrest C B Hale of Upper Sandusky a lime and stone dealer C V Brown of Crawford township a farmer John Ferris of Upper Sandusky an oil dealer Frank of Salem township a farmer

Monday evening the court ordered that Curry be tried the prisoner's request and Upper Sandusky was selected as the place for the trial

Monday night Deputy Sheriff Smith received word that a mob was organizing to be addressed by Attorney Whittlesey and that the mob would attempt to storm the jail during the night Sheriff Veith was notified and he with a number of deputies armed themselves and stood guard over the prisoner during the night

ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

Officers Elected by the Fahey Banking Company

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Fahey Banking Company was held at the office of the company on Main street Tuesday morning at which the following officers were elected for the ensuing year

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DELIGHTFUL MEETING OF THE ADVANCE CLUB

The Members Gather at Jackson Home

PAPERS OF INTEREST ARE ON THE PROGRAM

Mrs W M Jackson and Mrs Eugenia Rubins Are the Hostesses The C O P Club Meets With Miss Gertrude Coleman—A Nice Social Hour—Some Society Notes

The members of the Advance club enjoyed the hospitality of Mr William M [illegible] and Mrs Eugenia Rubins at the home of the former on Prospect avenue Monday afternoon The program was the completion of a series of previous lessons on [illegible] and current topics Mrs C E [illegible] had charge of the program Mrs [illegible] was followed by Mrs [illegible] Mrs [illegible] Mrs [illegible]

JUDGE BLACK IS THREATENED

In Connection with Matter of Marriage License,

PERMITTING NEGRO TO WED A WHITE

Elyria Fire Chief Making an Investigation.

It's Charged That One Regular Fireman and Several Volunteers Are Drunk the Day of the Elyria Fire. Plan To Have the State of Ohio Pay Supply Anti-Toxen for Diphtheria Patients.

Columbus, O., April 21.—Judge S. L. Black has received a threatening letter demanding that he take action in regard to the order issued by Judge Bigger directing him to issue a marriage license to George Marcand, colored real estate dealer, who some time ago asked for a license to marry Stella Cunningham, a white girl. Judge Black would not take the letter seriously, but Marriage License Clerk Morris was inclined to believe that it was sent in earnest. It was written on ordinary cheap note paper and threatened a double lynching if the case is dropped.

Fire Chief Investigates.

Elyria, O., April 21.—Discovery that one regular fireman and several volunteers were intoxicated on the day of the recent Elyria block fire has caused Chief Bates to start an investigation. Guarded by policemen, the vault of the Elyria Savings and Banking company was opened and over $1,000,000 worth of money and securities removed.

To Care For Abandoned Children.

Columbus, O., April 21.—That the state should assume the care and disposal of all abandoned children and that the state government should establish an antitoxin plant to insure quick delivery and ample supply for diphtheria cases, are two of the recommendations made in the annual report of the state board of health.

Boy Admits Firing House.

Akron, O., April 21.—"I didn't want to see the house burn down. I just wanted some excitement. Pretty dull out in that neighborhood." That is the reason Raymond Ackerman, 17, a Cleveland boy, gives in his alleged confession that he set Sheridan Boltz's house at Ghent on fire four times within an hour.

Friend of Holbrook Dies.

Lebanon, O., April 21.—Almost simultaneous with the report of the death of Alfred Holbrook comes the news from Cincinnati of the death of Ruric N. Roark, a bosom friend of Professor Holbrook and president of the Eastern Kentucky State Normal school of Richmond, Ky.

Ohio Girl at Mersina.

Bellefontaine, O., April 21.—Henry and James Fulton are anxious concerning the welfare of their only cousin, Miss Elma French, who is a Reformed Presbyterian missionary, stationed at Mersina. They fear she may have lost her life in the massacre.

Colonel Riley Gets Divorce.

Marietta, O., April 21.—Colonel John H. Riley, 60, ex-state senator and numerous times candidate for congress, and his wife, Georgia Riley, 30, who were married two years ago, concluded a legal separation.

Livery Stable Burns.

Lima, O., April 21.—Fire of an apparently incendiary origin destroyed the J. C. Musser livery barn, entailing loss of $30,000. Twenty-five horses were cremated.

Lake Seamen Vote to Strike.

Cleveland, O., April 21.—By unanimous vote the 207 members of the Lake Seamen's union decided to go on strike here.

Rob Bank Through Tunnel.

Norfolk, Va., April 21.—A special from Suffolk, Va., reports the discovery of the robbery of a bank which occurred probably during Saturday night, the burglars tunneling beneath four buildings to reach the vault. It is said that $101,000 in securities and a small amount of cash were secured.

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SHAKE DICE TO SELECT GROOM

Who Is Expected To Rob Bride and Divide.

Butte, Mont., April 21.—With the arrest of Mike Smith, teamster, who disappeared four weeks ago with $1,960 belonging to his bride of a week, and with the arrest also of Walter Cole, it develops that these two men with a third shook dice to see which one should marry and then rob the widow, the loot to be divided between the three. Smith won the throw and carried out the compact. However, as it is no crime in Montana for a man to rob his wife, Smith can not be prosecuted. However, $1,500 which was found in the possession of Cole, and which he admitted was part of the bride's money, was returned to her.

COMPROMISE MADE WITH THE STRIKERS

A Schedule of Pay Is Fixed for the Service Rendered.

Geneva, O., April 21.—Striking members of the Geneva fire department and the fire committee of the village council have compromised on the demands of the strikers. If the council approves the compromise, the strike will be called off.

Under the new schedule the men will be paid one dollar for answering each alarm and twenty-five cents an hour for time served. Six drills a year will be held, the firemen being paid one dollar for each drill. All members of the department will be furnished a free telephone by the village. The department will be cut from fourteen to twelve members.

STANDARD OIL HITS IT AGAIN

A By-Product Which Makes a Fine Road.

Lima, O., April 21.—Standard Oil has invented from bi-products of crude oil a new form of macadam street paving which is said to be equal to sheet asphalt.

Standard representatives offer to treat a strip of country road three miles in length to prove their theory. It is claimed the new invention will revolutionize the building of country roads and street paving.

SHARPERS WORK GREAT SWINDLE

Sell Worthless Stock in Steel Company,

WHICH IS ORGANIZED FOR THAT PURPOSE

Foreigners Are Made Victims in the Main.

Company Is Capitalized for Half a Million Dollars Under the Laws of South Dakota, but Its Only Property Is Said To Be an Abandoned Steel Plant in Westmoreland County in Pennsylvania.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 21.—What the local police claim to be one of the most gigantic swindling schemes on record has resulted in the arrest of William H. May, sixty, on eight informations charging false pretenses.

Search is being made today for William G. McLaughlin, formerly of the North Side, but now believed to be in Philadelphia, who represented himself to be the former secretary to George Gould, and, taking May as his partner, formed the McLaughlin-May Iron & Steel company and began operations in Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

It is said that their scheme was to sell shares of stock in the concern of a par value of $1,000 to foreigners for $200 cash, and as a further inducement they were allowed to make payment of an additional $200 by working it out on the property of the company in East Greensburg. While the McLaughlin-May company is said to be capitalized at $500,000 under the laws of South Dakota, its only property is said to be an abandoned steel plant in Westmoreland county.

On May, when he was arrested last night, were found papers showing that arrangements had been made with a B. F. Crowe, in Philadelphia, to float a $150,000,000 bond issue with an English concern. The plans of the company also were found among his possessions. May will be given a hearing today in Greensburg, where he was taken shortly after his arrest.

Fairbanks at Honolulu.

Honolulu, April 22. Former Vice President Fairbanks and party arrived here today on the Japanese steamer Chyo Maru, and were given a cordial greeting by officials of the territorial government.

HER IDENTITY ESTABLISHED

Helen Boyle Proves To Be Anna McDermott.

THE DAUGHTER OF CHICAGO FIREMAN

Her Life Is Traced for Last Three Years.

No Record of Her Marriage to Boyle Is Found—Traces Her Through the Under World—Nothing To Show That She Has Any Connection with the Whitla Family or Wealthy Relatives.

Mercer, Pa., April 21.—All the mystery that Helen Boyle has thrown about her since her arrest for the kidnaping of Billy Whitla was torn away today.

After the question asked by the whole country—Where is Billy Whitla—was answered, one other question has been uppermost in the public mind—Who is Helen Boyle? This question was answered today by C. H. Schauffler, superintendent of a private detective agency, in a report to District Attorney J. M. Ehninger, of Mercer county. It covers a personal investigation of this woman's history from the time she was a little girl in Chicago to the woman now awaiting trial in the Mercer jail. No printed romance was ever more thrilling.

Minute as to Data.

Using this report, which is minute as to dates, places and names, the state has a great mass of evidence. The report settles all doubt as to the woman's parentage. She is Anna McDermott, daughter of William McDermott, the Chicago fireman. Reports current during the kidnaping furore connecting her with alleged crimes in Kansas City and Springfield, Illinois, are made definite by Schauffler's data. He says that the woman is now twenty-two years of age. She left her home in Chicago when she was nineteen. Since then, he says, she has used the following aliases:

Mrs. Frank Yorke, Helen Yorke, Helen Parker, Mrs. Frank A. Minor, Helen McDonough, Mrs. R. G. Walters, Mrs. Jones.

Career for Three Years.

The detective says he has traced her career for three years through the underworld and that nothing whatever developed to prove her vague hints that she has wealthy friends or relatives, or that she is connected with any member of the Whitla family or to support any of the intimations of a family scandal made at the time of the kidnaping.

As the result of these revelations, Anna McDermott, as she should now be called—no proof has been found of her marriage to Boyle—remains the simple daughter of an honest Chicago fireman who, like others, forsook her early training for a career that landed her in prison under charges of blackmail and child stealing.

A NOTABLE TRIAL IN SUPREME COURT

A Proceeding to Disbar Charles A. Thatcher.

Columbus, O., April 22.—One of the most notable trials ever held in the supreme court of Ohio will begin on June 1 and it promises to attract wide attention, especially among lawyers.

That tribunal has set for hearing on that date the disbarment proceedings against Charles A. Thatcher, a Toledo attorney, whose offense is founded on his campaign criticism of two Toledo common pleas judges up for reelection last November.

The trial promises to furnish a definition as to wha lengths an attorney may go in a judicial campaign and may also set the limits of any civilian campaigners attacks.

PARSONS HAS THE MARRYING HABIT

Gallipolis Man with Three Wives Held for Bigamy.

Gallipolis, O., April 21.—William Parsons married his wife, Lizzie, in this town in 1904. In 1907 he married another girl, Rose Thompson, in Huntington, W. Va. Last September, under the name of Smith, he married the third, whose name is Pearl, in Mansfield, O., without any deaths or divorces in his family history. Wife No. 1 complained against him. Wife No. 3 produced her marriage certificate before the mayor. Parsons said he did not know whether he was married to No. 2 or not, as he was drinking. The mayor bound Parsons over to court.

BONITA USES LONG HATPIN

And Occupies Cell in Cincinnati Prison as Result.

Cincinnati, O., April 21.—Bonita, leading lady of the "Wine, Women and Song" company, occupied a cell at the city police station for several hours this morning as a result of a scene at the Sinton hotel, the leading hostelry of the city, in which the actress inflicted several hat-pin wounds on several attaches of the hotel. The actress, it is declared, had been drinking during the evening and when the bar closed at midnight, called a messenger boy and endeavored to have some whisky smuggled into her room. Night Clerk William Hetlich and Watchman Adam Matz protested, when the actress is declared to have seized Hetlich and endeavored to force him down the elevator shaft. A desperate encounter followed in which Bonita armed with a hat-pin, made repeated thrusts into the flesh of both men, and in which Hetlich's shirt was torn from his back.

Guests flocked into the corridors of the hotel, police were summoned and the actress was finally disarmed and taken to the police station. Both of the men whom she stabbed with her hat-pin needed surgical attention.

YOUNG WOMEN REACH ST. PAUL

For the Y. W. C. A. Meeting To Be Held There.

St. Paul, Minn., April 22.—Several hundred young women from all parts of the United States, delegates to the second biennial convention of the Young Women's Christian Associations of the United States, assembled today in the Central Presbyterian church of this city for the opening of the convention. The convention will last until next Tuesday morning.

The program of the convention provides for a general address on the association movement by Miss Mary E. Wooley, president of Mount Holyoke college; Professor Rauschenbusch of the Baptist Theological seminary, Rochester, N. Y., will speak on the social teachings of Jesus, and the Rev. Dr. Samuel M. Zwemer of the student volunteer movement will deliver an address on missions. The speaker on the church will be the Rev. Dr. Francis J. McConnell, president of De Pauw university, Indiana. The Rev. John Douglas Adam, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at East Orange, N. J., will deliver three addresses.

REFUSES TO ACCEPT MORE THAN $1.10

Holds That $1.30 Is Too Much for His Wheat.

St. Mary's O. April 22.—The exact antithesis of "Jim" Patten has been found by the Jay Grain company of this place, in the person of an obscure Dunkard farmer living near Mulberry, Indiana.

A letter just received from the company's agent at Mulberry states that this farmer, whose name is not given, brought his wheat to the elevator and inquired what price was being paid for the grain. When told that he could get $1.30 a bushel, he expressed extreme disgust and said: "That is an exorbitant figure. It seems that thousands of people will be unable to buy bread if the price of wheat is kept that high."

The Dunkard refused to accept more than $1.10 for his wheat and when asked what should be done with the twenty cents per bushel he refused to accept, he replied: "Give it to the poor people who are unable to buy bread because of the corner on wheat." The agent has asked the company here how he shall proceed to dispose of the money to the best advantage.

BROKEN MARRIAGE PROMISE IS FATAL

Florida Girl Shoots an Actor Who Jilts Her.

Jacksonville, Fla. April 21.—Falling closely on the heels of an announcement of the approaching marriage of Earl P. Adams, a popular actor and stage director of a company now playing in this city, to Miss Elizabeth Bagley, Miss Jessie Brown, a well known young woman to whom Adams had been previously engaged, shot and killed him at her home, where, it is alleged, Adams went to explain to her the approaching marriage to Miss Bagley. Adams was shot several times by Miss Brown and he died almost instantly.

Miss Brown was arrested and placed in the county jail. One peculiar feature of the case is that Miss Brown is a sister of Miss May Brown, who was killed here in 1905 by her lover, who at the same time shot her mother, Mrs. Freeman, and Detective Cahoon.

THE GOVERNMENT IS A BIG LOSER

Swindled Out of Millions by a Smuggling Syndicate.

New York, April 21.—Further investigation of the systematic smuggling of Paris gowns into this port led the customs house officials to declare that the syndicate has probably smuggled $1,000,000 worth of goods each year for the last 10 years, thus defrauding the government out of $600,000 annually in customs duty.

DEATH FOLLOWS LONG STRUGGLE

Governor Lilley Dies After Illness of Four Weeks.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OF CONNECTICUT

Wife and Sons Are at Bedside of Dying Man.

Fire Bells Announce the Passing of Lilley, Sounding Forty-Nine Taps, One for Each Year of His Age. Governor's Footguards on Duty at Executive Mansion—An Outline of the Governor's Career.

Hartford, Conn., April 22.—Governor George Leavens Lilley died at the executive mansion after battling with disease four weeks. The end came peacefully, as the distinguished patient did not regain consciousness from the coma in which he had lain for many hours and which was the result of acute nephritis and its attendant complications.

There were at the bedside Mrs. George L. Lilley, the three sons, Frederick, John and Theodore Lilley, and Mrs. John A. Lilley, and the attending physicians.

As soon as the sad news was spread abroad the fire bells of Hartford sounded the age of the dead governor, 49, and a detachment of the First company, governor's footguards, immediately were mustered to go on duty at the executive mansion.

Career of Lilley.

Hartford, Conn., April 22.—Governor George L. Lilley was the son of John Leavens Lilley and Caroline W. Lilley. He was born on his father's farm near Oxford, Massachusetts, August 3, 1859, where he spent his boyhood days. At eighteen, while driver for a wholesale meat house he studied at the Worcester high school and later at the Worcester polytechnic schools. His success as a meat salesman attracted the attention of the firm of Swift & Company, who offered him the management of their Waterbury branch with an interest in the business. Lilley accepted and the firm of Lilley, Swift & Company was established. The partnership continued until the death of J. F. Swift. In the fall of 1900, as a champion of clean government for the city of Waterbury, he was elected to the legislature on the Republican ticket. He served one term and in 1902 was nominated for congressman-at-large and was elected by a majority of 13,000. He was reelected in 1904 and again in 1906 and was elected governor of this state in 1908. He was in office only four months when death brought an end to his brilliant career.

Sensational Incident.

Washington, April 22.—The news of Governor Lilley's death recalls here his tempestuous career in congress as representative-at-large from Connecticut. His charges of corruption in connection with the award of contracts for submarine boats for the United States navy, made in a resolution which he introduced in the house on February 20, 1908, precipitated a remarkable congressional squabble, resulted in a "court of inquiry" of members, and after sensational developments, a severe reprimand to the Connecticut member for "bad faith" in making charges "he knew to be false."

The original accusation made by Representative Lilley was that the Electric Boat company, formerly the Holland Submarine company, had exercised corrupt influence on the house and its members, in securing an additional appropriation for submarine torpedo boats in the naval appropriation bill.

In his charges, Lilley declared that the proposition for four battleships in the naval bill for 1907-8 was defeated through influence brought to bear on members of the naval committee by the Electric Boat company and that it was through the further machinations of that firm that the appropriation for eight submarines was incorporated in the bill.

Submarine Lobby.

Lilley spoke of a "submarine lobby," which lavished vast sums in entertainment of members to influence their votes and declared that the press was subsidized.

After two months' consideration, the special committee reported to the house that it had been unable to discover any foundation in fact for Lilley's accusations. The report, which was later adopted by the house, was a stinging rebuke to the Connecticut representative.

This disproving of his accusation, made Lilley very unpopular in the house.

When the sixtieth congress convened last December, Lilley had been elected governor, and members momentarily expected his resignation as representative.

On January 16, when Lilley had been governor of Connecticut for more than a week, Representative Gaines, of Tennessee, introduced a resolution to declare his seat vacant, and strike his name from the membership roll of the house. This was passed on January 20, almost unanimously.

NIGHT RIDERS ARE PLACED ON TRIAL

Are Charged with Beating a Negro Unmercifully.

Nashville, Tenn., April 22.—W. M. Skinner, Pat Gleason, Pete Poindexter, Cal Smith and Clarence Moore, alleged Night Riders, were placed on trial in the circuit court at Ripley, Wednesday. Assault in disguise is the crime charged. It is alleged they went to the house of Price Lewis, negro, and whipped him unmercifully. A special venire of 200 men has been summoned to select a jury from.

PITTSBURG IS TARIFF MADE

Greatest Monument to Protection in the Country.

REAPS BENEFIT OF PROTECTIVE DUTIES

As No Other City in the Entire Country Has

Estimated Profits of the Steel Trust Alone in 1907 are $80,000,000. Wealth Which Comes by Privilege Kills—The Curse of Justice Falls on Those Who Refuse To Recognize Injustice, Writer Says.

New York, April 21.—The Pittsburg millionaire carries on his person the stamp of greed, of stupidity and of heartless pride, according to Ida M. Tarbell, but this is due entirely to the tariff privileges he has enjoyed but not needed, she says. He has fought for it because he has fattened upon it, insists Standard Oil's historian, and claims he must have it for labor's benefit.

In next month's issue of a popular magazine, the noted woman sociologist will discuss Pittsburg as a tariff-made city and what it has done for its workingmen. The Smoky City is the greatest monument to high protection in this country, according to her, having reaped for fifty years as no other center could, the benefits of prohibitive duties. Its industries have produced enormous fortunes, those of any other section and they have produced enormous fortunes.

$80,000,000 in a Year.

"The estimated tariff profits in the steel trust alone in 1907 was $80,000,000," says the article. Who got the money? Go look at the steel palaces and chateaux in New York and Paris. Go ask the Pittsburg millionaires who fill the glittering places of pleasure in the great cities of Europe and this country and who figure in divorce and murder trials or are writing their names on foundations and bequests and institutions.

"Little children may die or grow up stunted and evil within their sight and no penny of their wealth, no hour of their leisure given them. Women may pass hours of incessant toil and die, broken and unhonored within their sight, and they raise no hand.

"Wealth which comes by privilege kills. The curse of justice on those who will not recognize injustice is the sodden mind, the dulled vision and unfeeling heart."

JUDGE ROYER IS RECEIVER

For the Tiffin Home Telephone Company.

INSANE WOMAN IS KILLED BY TRAIN

Affidavit of Prejudice in Court Is Filed.

It Is Urged That Judge R. M. Wanamaker Is Not Proper Court Before Which To Try Former Congressman Laning—Three Hundred School Pupils Assist in Search for Missing Elyria Boy.

Tiffin, O., April 22.—The Tiffin Home Telephone company went into the hands of a receiver on the application of the Cleveland Trust company, which held $99,000 worth of bonds. Judge John C. Royer was appointed receiver. The company suffered heavily in the sleet storm that swept over this section of the state in February of this year.

Insane Woman Killed.

Columbus, O., April 22.—Ottie Belle Warren, 30, whose former home was in Cable, Champaign county, escaped from the state hospital, and 24 hours later her dead body, horribly mangled, was found just outside of Bannou, a small station near the junction of the Norfolk & Western and T. & O. C. railroad tracks, southeast of the city.

Object to Judge Wanamaker.

Norwalk, O., April 22.—Hearing of motions to quash indictments against Former Congressman Laning and others in the so-called bank failure cases, already delayed, was given another setback by the filing of affidavits of prejudice against Judge R. M. Wanamaker of Akron, presiding judge of the district.

Elyria Lad Is Missing.

Elyria, O., April 22.—Three hundred public school pupils assisted in a search for their schoolmate, Walter Barbower, who disappeared here Tuesday. Whether he has been kidnaped or is the victim of foul play is a mystery. The boy is the seven-year-old son of Mathew Barbower.

Cassidy's Plurality.

Columbus, O., April 22.—As witness, Governor Harmon signed the transcript of the official returns in the Cleveland congressional election. He witnessed the canvass of the returns by Secretary of State Thompson. The official vote was: Cassidy, 16,744; Excell, 9,273.

Insane Son Gets Estate.

Bryan, O., April 22.—Because David DeGroff bequeathed all his property to a son confined in the insane asylum at Toledo and also named him executor of the estate, eight other heirs are now seeking to have the will set aside.

Four Hurt at Fire.

Cincinnati, O., April 22.—As a result of a brisk fire which broke out in a crowded tenement house shortly after midnight this morning, four persons were seriously injured, one being probably fatally burned.

Southard Gets Trusteeship.

Columbus, O., April 22. — Governor Harmon has appointed Homer Southard of Marysville trustee of the state hospital at Gallipolis to succeed Curtis V. Harris of Athens, Democrat whose term expires.

YOUNG BAVARIAN'S RICH SWEETHEART

Girl Is Sending Her Money to This Country.

Toledo, O., April 21.—Karl Dietz, a young Bavarian machinist of this city, is rejoicing in a Bavarian sweetheart who is coming to marry him next month and is forwarding to him the price of her real estate ownings as fast as she can dispose of the property. Her letters say she will send between $20,000 and $30,000 before May 10 and that she will sail May 15 for New York, where the marriage will take place. Dietz says he won her in a six-weeks courtship while visiting his home in Bergzabern, Bavaria, last winter and that he did not spend one cent on her for presents or entertainments. He decries the American habit of lavishing money on young women.

Farmers to Meet.

Atlanta, Ga., April 22. — President Barrett of the Farmers' union has issued a call for farmers to meet at Springfield, Mo., on May 12, to place themselves on record before the world and to build such a system as will enable wheat to sell for the highest possible figures while it is yet in the hands of the grower. The Farmers' union has 3,000,000 members.

Breaks Bank at Monte Carlo.

Nice, April 22. — Huntley Walker, an Englishman, broke the bank at Monte Carlo, winning $60,000 in two hours.

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DECLARES CIVIL SERVICE SHAME

Senator Bailey Cuts Loose on Tariff Measure.

CLAIMS IT CHEATS THE INDIVIDUAL

Senate Sends the Bill Back to Conference.

Its Instructions Are That Its Amendment Relating to Construction of Building for Work of Census and Civil Service Features Be Incorporated—Bailey Not in Favor of Delaying Passage of Bill.

Washington, April 21.—In order that its amendment relating to the civil service law and requiring the construction of a building for the work of the census in this city might be further considered and insisted upon, the census bill was sent back to conference by senate committee. The conferees had agreed to strike out the senate amendment requiring domicile in a state for one year as a prerequisite for the establishment of residence as a basis for apportionment of appointments among the several states, but they were instructed to further insist upon this provision.

Senators Hale and Bailey took the view that the course of the senate in seeking to amend the census bill by changing a general law in relation to all apportionment placed that body at a disadvantage in its dispute with the house of representatives. Mr. Bailey denounced the civil service law as a "sham and a humbug," and declared that the debate had showed that this "just and perfect law" had been made to cheat the communities as well as individuals. But he was not in favor of delaying the passage of a bill for a special purpose in order to attempt to correct one of abuses under the law. Mr. Bailey said it was not a kindness to any young man to bring him to this city to work for the government.

THE REPUBLICANS ARE VICTORIOUS

Cassidy Takes Burton's Place in Lower House.

Cleveland, O., April 21.—James H. Cassidy, Republican, was elected representative in congress from Twenty-first Ohio district to succeed Theodore E. Burton, recently chosen United States senator. Cassidy's majority over Matthew B. Excell, Democrat, is in excess of 4,000. The successful candidate formerly was secretary of the rivers and harbors committee of the house of representatives, of which Mr. Burton was chairman before his resignation. Four, propositions for bond issues aggregating $3.275,000 were defeated.

Wife Murderer on Trial.

Cambridge, Mass., April 21.—It was with a calm, interested gaze that Chester S. Jordan watched the starting of the court machinery in the Middlesex superior court in his trial for the murder of his wife, Honora, in Somerville last September. The jury was taken to Somerville today to view the scene of the crime.

TWO NEGROES GET $25,000 VERDICTS

For Damages Suffered at Hands of Night Riders.

Paducah, Ky., April 21.—Lee Baker and Nat Frizell, negroes, were Tuesday awarded $25,000 each in federal court for damages inflicted in a Night Rider raid on March 9, 1908. The defendants in the case offered no defense and the verdict was returned under instructions of the court, the jury, however, itself fixing the maximum amount of damages, $25,000 in each case.

The two negroes were taken from their home by the Riders and whipped until it is declared the lash cut into the muscles in their legs. During this raid, John Scruggs, an aged negro, and his daughter's infant were killed by bullets.

THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN

FERTILIZER—A dozen grades of best manufacture for farm, garden or lawn purposes. Try on your corn and potatoes. Call at 432 E Center. Phone R-1110.
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FOR SALE—Bargain. Four burner Quick Meal gasoline stove, good as new. See Thos. O'Day in alley at rear Keeler Bros. 122-2-wky-1

WANTED—500 bushels of potatoes. Will pay $1 per bushel for good stock. A. G. Moss, grocer, north Main St. Phone 905. 122-2-wky-1

FOR SALE—First-class four-year-old cow. Now giving lots of milk. Only reason for selling, poor health, can't care for her. J. F. Skees, Kensington Place, city. d&wk1

GREEN CAMP NEWS GATHERED IN WEEK

What the People of the Village Are Doing.

Green Camp, April 23.—[Special.]—Mrs. Henry Somers, of North Baltimore is the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Morris.

Mrs. Lenora Douce, of Martel, and William Slack, of Marion, were called here, Wednesday, on account of the sickness of their father, A. L. Slack.

Minnie D. Rayl, of Marion, was the guest of her brother, A. S. Somerlott, Sunday.

Mrs. Joseph Bentz is quite sick.

The Misses Clora and Hazel Hedges were the guests of Prospect friends, Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Carmine met with a painful injury at her home, Saturday. While in the yard, she stepped on a rusty nail which penetrated her foot.

William Ohler is suffering a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Johnson, of Marion, were guests of Hiram Johnson, Sunday.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt, of Burlington, Michigan, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Uncapher, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams, of Agosta, were the guests of John Johnson, Sunday.

Mrs. D. E. Kurts entertained the members of the Young Married People's class of the M. E. Sunday-school, at her home south of town, last Tuesday night.

Homer McCulley, of Claridon, was the guest of Walter Bricker, Sunday.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bigerstaff is seriously ill.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Mt. Olive church met at the home of Mrs. John Schwaderer, Wednesday. The time was passed pleasantly in quilting, and sewing carpet rags.

Michel Lyons, who recently returned from Oklahoma, has moved into the house on the T. A. Fletcher farm.

Mrs. Mary Zieg, who has been sick for the last five weeks, is not improved.

George and Chris Comer, of Marion, were the guests of friends here, Sunday.

MISS LILLIAN FRIES VICTIM OF TYPHOID

YOUNG WOMAN IS RECENT GRADUATE

Death Comes as Great Shock to Many Friends.

Is Clerking in a Local Store When Stricken by Fatal Malady—Miss Fries Is a Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Fries—She Is Nineteen Years of Age.

Miss Lillian Audrey Fries, aged nineteen years and six months, died of typhoid fever at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Fries, of south Prospect street, Thursday evening.

Miss Fries graduated last year from the Marion High school. Her death, while expected by many, will nevertheless come as a shock to her hundreds of friends who did not even know that she was ill. Up until the time she was taken ill, Miss Fries had been clerking at the Warner, Edwards & Company's store.

THIRTEEN PROVES UNLUCKY NUMBER

Cardington Business Men Lose on a Pike Improvement.

Thirteen Cardington business men have some reason to think that thirteen is an unlucky number. These thirteen are the ones who guaranteed to see that the residents of the town contributed $3,000 towards the Cardington-Marion pike road fund at the time it was constructed. The matter has been hanging fire for some time and at a meeting of those interested last Thursday night an assessment was made on each for a good sized sum to finish up the payment and clean the matter up. As is always the case, some of those who subscribed refused to pay their subscriptions, while the full amount had not been subscribed in the first place.

The way in which the Marion pike matter turned out will probably dampen the enthusiasm of those caught and stop any other pike road contributions except through the regular channel of equal taxation for all.—Cardington Independent.

RESOLUTIONS OF OHIO LEGISLATURE

Senators Receive Copies of Important Document.

Washington, April 21.—Practically every senator has received copies of the resolution recently passed by the Ohio legislature calling upon congress for legislation increasing the restrictions upon immigration.

Senator McLaurin, of Mississippi, asked that the document be printed in the congressional record, which was ordered.

Unfitness for death does not establish fitness for heaven.

CALEDONIA BROWNIES BEAT MARION PLAYERS

A Ball Contest Is Played at the Village.

ODD FELLOWS WILL HOLD CELEBRATION

Caledonia Lodge Preparing To Observe an Anniversary—Ice Merchant Finds It Necessary To Buy Ice as Mild Winter Prevents Storage—Caledonia News Items.

Caledonia, April 23.—[Special.]—The Brownie ball club of this place played the Juniors of Marion, Saturday afternoon, on the school grounds. The game closed with a score of five to four in favor of the home team. Cooper Geyer umpired the game.

Caledonia Lodge, No. 299, I. O. O. F., will celebrate the ninetieth anniversary of Odd Fellowship, next Tuesday evening. After the regular session of the lodge, an appropriate program will be rendered.

Misses Bertha and Anna Gugler, of Galion, spent Sunday with Miss Blanche Hart.

Wallace Lindsay, of Monnette, was the guest of his brother, Charles Lindsay, and family, Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Landes and daughter, Florence, drove to Bucyrus, Tuesday, to attend the celebration of the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs. James McClintock.

Homer Stone, of Delaware, visited Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. W. S. Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Blank and son, Robert, of Marion, were guests of Mrs. Blanks parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Seckel, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Smallenberg, of Buffalo, spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Highly.

O. S. Rice, of Galion, is the guest of friends here this week.

Hershel Price, of Galion, visited relatives at this place, Tuesday.

Rev. John Carpenter, of Mt. Gilead, was calling on friends here, Monday.

The rank of knight was conferred on one candidate by the Knights of Pythias lodge, Monday night.

Mrs Orpha Koch, of Marion, visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Huber Davis and daughters, Thelma and Wilma, of Cardington, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sterritt.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burkholder, of northeast of town, are the parents of a daughter, born Monday afternoon.

Miss Anna Pittman visited, last week, with her sister, Mrs. Odi Wilson, of near Bucyrus.

George Henry received a carload of ice from Galion, Wednesday morning, which he will store for his own use. Mr. Henry has been supplying ice for the trade at this place for several years, but on account of the mild winter was unable to put up a supply.

G. Merle Donnenwirth and Harry Mills, of Bucyrus, were the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. H. M. Hart, Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Hummer moved her household goods to Marion, Thursday, and will reside there in the future.

E. J. Stanley and Jacob Apt, of Marion, and John Plotner and Charles Crissinger, of Galion, were in attendance at the funeral of Noah Lee, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Smith and I. W. Smith, of Gallon, were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Kring, Sunday.

IMPORTANT FEATURE WILL BE ABANDONED

McDonough's Remains Will Not Be Moved.

Middletown, Conn., April 21.—One of the most important events in the tercentenary celebrations of the discovery of Lake Champlain, which included the removal of the body of Commodore Thomas McDonough, the hero of the famous battle on that lake from this city to Plattsburg, will have to be abandoned, owing to the refusal of his descendants to comply with the request of the committee. The body of their illustrious ancestor has been here since the time of his death, and they stated they did not think it wise to permit its removal.

Murderer Uses Dynamite.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 22.—Rudolph Buol, 55, was assassinated while asleep. The murderer opened Mr. Buol's bedroom window and placed a stick of dynamite on his head, exploding it with a fuse. Buol was killed instantly. His wife, who was asleep, escaped without the slightest injury.

Seed Potatoes.

Five different kinds; onion sets and bulbs. Package seeds of every kind. R. T. Lewis & Co., opposite court house. 49-wk-2w2e-

Best elkskin plow shoes sold at Beatty & Long's cut price shoe store—they wear and fit. wk-F

It's the duties we leave undone that work our undoing.

AWAKENING TO THE GREAT PLAGUE BATTLE

Dr. C. O. Probst Talks to Physicians and People.

HELP THE SUFFERERS TO HELP THEMSELVES

State Had Better Pay for Curing Patients Suffering of Tuberculosis Than Be Obliged To Rear the Children Orphaned—What Is Being Done in Fight Against Disease.

With a view to awakening the citizens of Marion and surrounding counties to the importance of establishing a tuberculosis hospital, Dr. C. O. Probst, of Columbus, secretary of the state board of health, delivered an address in the court-room, Thursday evening. Dr. Probst was here on invitation of the Marion County Medical association, and, considering the importance of the subject on which he spoke, but a small crowd was present.

The speaker said, that nowhere have we heard of a combat against disease as at present against tuberculosis. He stated that the disease can be readily communicated through the kinds of houses occupied and by the occupations of people. While the health authorities are able to handle the smaller contagious diseases, these are not to be compared with tuberculosis. He submitted startling figures of the annual death rate from tuberculosis. He said that in the United States about 650,000 people die from the disease and that 6,000 die annually in Ohio. He said that money was given toward stamping out the bubonic plague, but tuberculosis is the worst plague which has ever attacked the people and is gradually spreading.

In his talk, the speaker embraced the sanatorium, the hospital and the dispensary as the means of driving the disease from the country. He told of the sanatorium which is being constructed near Mt. Vernon, describing the scenery and of how the hospital will be operated for the cure of tuberculosis sufferers in Ohio. little more than twelve per cent. of the cases are incipient. These are the cases that will be taken at the sanatorium. He explained the methods of the operation of the sanatorium, and said that the climate advice for the cure of the disease has been greatly overestimated. The sanatorium will teach that you do not have to leave Ohio, and it will also teach the patient how to live to prevent him from communicating the disease to others.

The hospital, the speaker said, will be for taking care of the advanced stages of the disease, which are about equal in number to the incipient cases. The other cases are about in the middle stage of the disease. He said the poor are in more danger than the wealthy, not because of the money, but because of the conditions of the home. With a bed-ridden case of tuberculosis in the poor man's home, the others are thrown in too close connection. These cases should be removed to the hospital, as the patient is a hopeless case and it will prevent the spreading of the disease.

The strongest argument brought out by the speaker was that forty-two per cent. of the children in the orphan asylums of the state are there because their parents died of tuberculosis. The state, he said, had to stand the expense of keeping these children, and how much better it would be for establishing a place to prolong the lives of their parents that they could rear their little ones. The disease is common in the infirmaries of the state and as long as the diseased are thrown in contact with the other inmates, the malady will never be wiped out.

Dr. Probst spoke of the importance of the dispensary, telling how the walking cases could be cared for. These he said as a rule will not go to a hospital and could not be taken at the sanatorium. The dispensary will teach these persons afflicted how to take care of themselves to prolong life and prevent their giving the disease to others. The speaker stated, that from two to five counties could unite in building a district hospital and urged that the matter be taken up by the medical society and the commissioners.

Previous to the talk of Dr. Probst, the Marion County Medical society held a short meeting. The bills were allowed and an invitation was accepted to attend the Presbyterian church, next Sunday evening, when Rev. G. M. Rourke will talk on "Physicians." Following the talk of Dr. Probst, Dr. H. S. Rhu read an interesting paper on "Tuberculosis."

Postal Course For Schools.

Postmaster O. C. W. Lang of Bayonne, N. J., recently sent to the board of education a communication asking that the pupils in the public schools be taught how to address and mail letters, how to make out a money order and how to register letters. The postmaster said that he had printed fifty booklets containing information, and he suggested that these be distributed. The board adopted the suggestions, and hereafter the pupils in all the public schools will receive instruction in postal matters once or twice a week.

STAG SOCIAL IS GIVEN BY KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

LaRue Lodge Enjoys a Very Nice Affair.

A COMPANY OF 150 FINDS ENJOYMENT

Vocal and Instrumental Music Is Rendered During the Evening. Mrs. Milton Morral Entertains the Members of Embroidery Club at Her Home Near LaRue.

LaRue, April 23.—[Special.] About 150 Knights of Pythias and their friends enjoyed a stag social and banquet at their hall, Thursday evening. Music was furnished by the LaRue band, and a male octet sang several selections. Twenty-five applications have been received for membership.

Born, Tuesday, a son, to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Dutton, of Front street.

Mrs. William Drake was a Marion visitor, Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Helwig and Miss Martha Hogan, of Marion, were guests at the George Everett home, north of LaRue, Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Lamb returned home Sunday from Meeker where she visited relatives a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutledge and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Merriman and daughter, of Kenton, were guests, Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stahl, of east Vine street.

Mrs. Marion Bonner returned home, Tuesday evening, from a week's visit with her parents in Smith's Grove, Kentucky.

E. S. Brown was a business visitor in Marion, Tuesday.

Miss Stella Everett, of Marion, visited her parents north of town, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bell were called to Wharton, Sunday, by the illness of their son, Clarence.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Huber, of near Marseilles, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gerlach, of Swain avenue, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Rainsburg, of Billings, Oklahoma, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Raub, south of LaRue.

Harry Greenwalt, of near Kenton, was the guest of friends at LaRue, Sunday.

Miss Lillie Mae Thombs has returned to her studies at Lima, after a week's visit with her parents of this place.

Miss Alice Carrothers, of near Kenton, was the guest of friends at LaRue, Sunday.

Mrs. G. T. Baughman and daughter, Leona, were Marion visitors, Saturday.

C. H. Sutton and W. F. Kniffin were business visitors at Richwood, Tuesday.

Mrs. Milton Morral, at her home three miles north of LaRue, pleasantly entertained the members of the Embroidery club and a number of invited guests Monday. Following a season of embroidery work, a social hour was enjoyed. The hostess served refreshments. Aside from nearly all the club members, Mrs. W. L. Morral, Mrs. David Morral, of near De Cliff; Mrs. D. D. Clifton, Mrs. W. E. Thew, Mrs. C. H. Topliff, Mrs. L. S. Walker, of LaRue, and Miss Leitz, of Marion, were guests of the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sager and son returned to their home in Galion, Monday morning, after a few days' visit with relatives at LaRue.

L. M. Collins, who has had an interest in a blacksmith shop on east Vine street for the past few years, has sold his interest to Warren Dutton, and left Sunday, for Marion, where he has secured employment.

M. C. Long and daughter, Nellie, of Richwood, were guests of relatives at LaRue, Sunday.

Miss Bess Mills was the guest of relatives in Marion a few days last week.

Mrs. John Mauer and daughter, of near Harpster, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bonner, of Walnut street.

Clifton, Edward and Charles Rizor returned to their home in Bellevue and Battle Creek, Michigan, Wednesday morning, having been called here by the death of their father, J. L. Rizor.

Mrs. William Holden, of DeCliff, was a guest of the Misses Paulsen, of north High street, Friday.

Marion Bonner was a visitor in Bellefontaine, Tuesday.

Mrs. I. S. Guthery was a visitor in Marion, Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Staggers, of Powell, and Mrs. William Penn, of Lorain, visited, Sunday and Monday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Smiley, of north High street.

Mrs. Demeris Colvin, of Marion, was the guest of relatives at LaRue, Wednesday.

Charles Engels and Dennis Shaffstall, of Marseilles, were guests of LaRue friends, Sunday.

Miss Alice Clark was a Marion visitor, Tuesday.

Mrs. Laura Dilz and Mrs. Lydia Glass, of Memphis, Tennessee, were called here, Tuesday, by the death of their mother, Mrs. Mary Weist.

Mrs. Arthur Porter and daughter, of Green Camp, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Clark, of south High street, Saturday and Sunday.

BIRTHS.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl DeRoy Nye, of Uncapher avenue, Friday morning.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Travis, of Marion, Thursday morning, at the home of Mrs. Travis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Slemmons, of East Liberty.

A son was born, Sunday morning, to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Howlson, of Forest street.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Myers, of Flos avenue, Tuesday morning.

A daughter was born, Sunday morning, to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Monnette, of east Church street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Shaffer, of No. 649 north Prospect street, Wednesday afternoon, a daughter.

Had to Bow to Custom.

The late King Oscar of Sweden was the least conventional of monarchs, but he had to courtesy to custom nevertheless. The king and M. Bonnier, the botanist, met as strangers while out in search of flowers near Stockholm. They were soon the best of friends, and Bonnier suggested lunch at his inn.

"Come home with me instead," said the other.

When the way led to the palace gates Bonnier hesitated.

"I'm sorry," said his companion, "but I happen to be the king of this country, and this is the only place where I can entertain my friends."

Teeth Chatter.

The Gold Tooth—Say, you'll be pulled if you keep on disturbing the peace.

The Troublesome Molar — Hooray! I'm just aching to get out of here, you know.—Puck.

The death sentence is never carried out in Greece until an interval of two years has expired.

The province of British Columbia has a net surplus for the year of $1,388,360, denoting prosperity.

STUDENTS OF WALDO TAKE AN EXAMINATION

A Social Affair Is Given at Gabler Home.

PLEASANT EVENING OF DANCING ENJOYED

Waldo Men Leave for a Trip to New Mexico, Where They Are Interested in a Land Deal—Mrs. William Brown Is Called to Mechanicsburg. Some Village Items.

Waldo, April 23.—[Special.]—A large number of the grammar school pupils from here took the Patterson examination in Marion Saturday.

Mrs. Nellie Gompf was a Marion visitor, Thursday.

Mrs. William Stark and Miss Florence Stark were in Marion, several days the past week, called there by the serious illness of Mrs. Stark's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gabler entertained a number of their friends, Thursday evening. Dancing was enjoyed during the evening and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Clarence Russel returned home, Friday, from Delaware. Her mother, Mrs. H. Owen, of that place, accompanied her home and spent the day here.

Mrs. W. C. Michel was a Marion visitor, Thursday.

Dr. B. D. Osborne, R. E. Morris and C. E. Morris were Marion visitors, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weston Luellen, of Marion, visited friends here, Sunday.

D. W. Benedict was in Marion, Saturday.

Miss Flora Houseworth visited friends in Marion, Saturday.

Mrs. William Oborn visited, Sunday and Monday, with friends in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Grigsby visited Marion, Saturday.

Charles Kellar spent Sunday in Columbus.

Mrs. Melvin Strine visited friends in Marion, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Benedict, Miss Adda Marie Grones, Miss Lucile Benedict and C. E. Morris spent Sunday with friends in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. William Strine and daughters, Misses Carrie and Eva, spent Monday in Columbus.

Mrs. William Brown is spending several weeks at Mechanicsburg, at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Williams, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Susan Difany is at Galion where she will remain several weeks.

William Gabler, John Grigsby, Daniel Kealber and John High left, Monday night, for New Mexico, to be gone about ten days. The gentlemen are interested in a prospective land deal in that state.

Mrs. Emma Houseworth, of Marion, visited Friday with friends at this place.

Mrs. Frederic Augustine and Miss Bertha Augustine entertained Mrs. Henry Martin, and Mrs. H. DeTurk and son, Martin DeTurk, of West Virginia, last week.

ASSISTANCE IS GIVEN WOMAN

Mrs. James Boyle Has Friends on Outside.

SHE HAS ACCOUNT IN A MERCER BANK

While Her Husband Has To Beg Stogies.

It Is Said That Friends Have Placed a Thousand Dollars to Her Credit. No One but Her Attorney Is Said To Know Whence the Money Comes—Evidence That She Comes of Well-to-Do People.

Mercer, Pa., April 21.—It was learned here that the effort of former Judge Miller, counsel for Mrs. James H. Boyle in the Whitla abduction case, to have the Ohio courts claim jurisdiction over the woman, had fallen flat. The Ohio authorities expect to take no action unless the woman's conviction in Pennsylvania should fail.

While Boyle is reputed to have called on his relatives for enough money to buy stogies with, Mrs. Boyle is said to be reveling in luxury. It is reported that rich relatives have deposited to her credit here $1,000. No one but her attorney, it is said, knows where it came from, but it is taken as evidence of the truth of the report that she is from a prominent and wealthy family.

THE HUMANITY OF A FAMOUS SURGEON

Dr. Bull's Kindness to a Poor Jewish Family—A Good Worker for Unfortunate.

The humanity of Dr. William T. Bull of New York, the famous surgeon who recently died at Savannah, Ga., is illustrated by an incident in his career which came to light through another physician.

Late at night a young doctor from the east side of New York city went to Dr. Bull's home and told him that his skill was needed to save the life of a young Jewish girl afflicted with appendicitis.

Dr. Bull went to the home of the girl. It was in a tenement house. She lay on the floor on a bundle of rags. The family had not tasted food in two days.

Taking off his coat and rolling up his sleeves, Dr. Bull turned an icebox into an operating table, operated on the girl, stayed in the house till the patient was out of immediate danger and saw that food was brought for the family.

The father of the girl in his great gratitude for the surgeon's kindness took from his pocket a quarter, all the money he had in the world, and proffered it to the great physician, and Dr. Bull, realizing the spirit in which the money had been offered and too tender to refuse it, accepted the quarter and placed it in his pocket.

"I hadn't the heart to refuse it," he said afterward.

FREE TURNPIKE-ROAD NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a petition will be presented to the Board of Commissioners of Marion county, Ohio, at their special session, to be held May 26th, 1909, at 1 o'clock p. m., asking that said board appoint turnpike directors to lay out and establish a free turnpike road lying and being fully within said county, between the following points, to-wit:—Beginning at the east terminus of the Rexroth pike, on the line between Grand Prairie and Scott townships; thence east on the line between Sections 19, 20, 21 and 22 on the north and sections 30, 29, 28 and 27 on the south, Scott township, to the intersection with the Mud Pike, a total distance of about three and one-eighth (3⅛) miles.

The petitioners request that said pike be constructed with a dirt side track and the material for construction to be crushed stone with a top dressing of screenings.

Said petitioners also pray that said Board of Commissioners of Marion county, Ohio, levy an extra tax, the amount of which shall not exceed ten (10) mills on the dollar valuation in any one year on all lands and taxable property within the bounds of said proposed free turnpike, and that said levy continue for fifteen (15) years, if the cost and expense of said construction be not sooner paid.

ELMER E. BEERS, et al.
49-wk-f-1 Petitioners.

DITCH SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the McKibben ditch, located in Richland township, Marion county, Ohio, will be sold at 2 p. m., Saturday, May 1, 1909, at the county surveyor's office as per plans, specifications and estimates now on file in said office. Work to be sold in sections. Labor and material separate.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners. ED. S. AULT, County Surveyor.
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A young Japanese gentleman has set a fashion in suicide which should be more generally followed. He jumped into the crater of a volcano. That was complete, expeditious and thorough. It saved the expense of a costly funeral, and did not mess up the house. It would be well if Mr. Aldrich would see that craters are put on the free list and brought within the reach of all.

The law-defying trusts actually appear to feel ashamed that they allowed the Sherman law to throw the scare into them that it did.

"I have never seen an ostrich hide by sticking its head into the sand," observed the restaurant philosopher at luncheon today, "but I did observe a young woman on the street yesterday trying to shelter her new spring hat from the rain with an umbrella."

A young man was arrested up in Chicago this week for kissing his best girl on a public highway. There's no use talking, there's nothing like the good old front parlor with the lights low.

We can't imagine how any girl wearing one of the new-style hats could come out a window and down a ladder gracefully to elope with the youth of her heart.

The manager of the Cub world champions says: "Don't drink. This is the worst thing a player can do." But there are many ball players, possibly, who will assume that such advice applies only to the big leaguers.

Senator Bailey need not worry because Colonel Bryan has purchased a farm in the Lone Star state and proposes to winter there in the future. From what we know of the colonel he would be just about the last man in the world to encroach on the senator's oil interests.

"This is my first visit to the White House," said Senator Tillman Tuesday, "and I thought I would wait until a gentleman got there." The senator evidently wanted to be sure there would be at least one gentleman on the ground while he was there, which goes to show that even Mr. Tillman prefers to mingle with people of refinement at times.

Judge Boardman, of the United States court, has given a ruling marked by good "horse" sense and which if generally observed, will result in a better class of jurors and fewer mistrials. He holds that the reading of newspaper accounts of criminal matters results in the formation of impressions and not of fixed opinions disqualifying a juror from finding a verdict upon the evidence. In this day and age, every intelligent man reads the newspapers, and his disqualification for this cause fills the panels with the ignorant and illiterate.

A writer refers to members of the federal house as humorists. He is probably taking these interjections "laughter," "great laughter" etc., in the Congressional Record seriously.

La Nature says good papers can be produced by grapevines. It is equally true, readers will readily admit, that good grapevines can be produced by papers.

The Democratic papers are falling into the habit of denouncing State Oil Inspector Phipps, Insurance Superintendent Lenert and other Republican officials as usurpers holding offices which by right belong to appointees of Governor Harmon. This is untrue and unjust. All these men were appointed for definite terms fixed by law and those terms were not made concurrent with those of the governor. If this is wrong it is the fault of the law and not of the officers. Their titles to their offices are as good as that of Governor Harmon himself. The governor will, during his term, have opportunity to appoint successors to nearly all his men, and his appointees will hold over during a part of the term of his successor. The appointments are no part of his prerogative until vacancies occur naturally by expiration of the terms of office or until he can prove misfeasance, malfeasance or gross neglect of duty warranting removal from office.

The court's decision in the brewery matter will do a lot toward alleviating that thirsty feeling, provided, of course, that the fellow with the thirst also has the price of a case of beer.

SENATOR ALDRICH AND THE TARIFF

It should be remembered in considering both the criticism and vituperation heaped upon Senator Aldrich in connection with the making of the tariff schedules that he is but one senator, having only one vote, and that his leadership is accorded him by his fellow-senators solely because of his preeminent abilities. He is the best-informed authority upon the question in this country, and he is the real author and framer of the tariff laws under which this country has achieved its highest measure of prosperity. He comes from the smallest state in the union and is less apt to be swayed by local influences than any of his confreres.

The making of a tariff bill is essentially a matter of selfishness and it is hard to see how this may be overcome when the duty devolves upon the house of representatives, whose members come direct from the people of their respective districts and are necessarily pledged to take a personal view of the matter and to protect and promote local interests.

Too often the charge is made that it is the so-called "interests" who direct the framing of the schedules, when, in fact, it is the "log-rolling" of small local interests which effects results. For instance, the sugar trust could live with sugar on the free list, for it practically controls the production in all lands tributary to the American market; the real opposition to free sugar comes from the growers of sugar cane and beets and they are more potent with their representatives in congress than any trust could be.

President McKinley once said that the South was really for a protective tariff and its resources could never be developed except under protection. He said that the South had been kept in the Democratic column only by appeals to sectional passion, and the fear of negro domination. It is apparent from the trend of the tariff discussion at this session of congress, that McKinley was right and that the South has awakened to the fact that when the policy of a protective tariff is seriously menaced in the North, the South must in self-defense rally to its support.

No one expects a perfect tariff bill. There never has been one framed and none will be in advance of the millennium. But, generally speaking we doubt not that the final result in this direction will be the best that can be reached under present methods. But there should be hope in some of the pending bills providing for tariff commissions which would gather data and formulate upon scientific and economic principles schedules free from partisan bias and unaffected by local interest or sectional prejudice. Then with ample notice of changes of schedules and a minimum period of operation to assure stability of markets and dealings, business would quickly adapt itself to conditions and the question, if not solved, should no longer be the dangerous plaything of politicians.

"Uncle Dave" Turpie is dead. The announcement will mean little to the younger readers of the Star, but a few years ago he filled the public eye in a large measure. He ranked with Dan Voorhees and Thomas Hendricks in Indiana, was a United States senator and leading jurist. But the years exacted their toll of him, and the procession passes him by, and the world "little recked nor long remembered."

The season is not "forward." But the idiot who rocks the boat is already here and has tallied two victims on the Ohio river at Ironton.

The income tax, also, would help Mr Carnegie to avoid the temptation of dying rich.

Some of those who at Seattle and in Chicago voted to labor under the impression that possibly Secretary Wilson may have slip in his calculations when figuring on the size of the wheat crop. Mr Patten is the only one with standing.

DAMAGE DONE BY STORM WEDNESDAY

A Big Sign Is Torn Off Steam Shovel Building.

The big sign which runs the length of the east side of the building of the Marion Steam Shovel company on the Big Four Valley Railway company's railroad way, near the union station, was torn off by the storm and carrying the heavy sign with it swept over the building Wednesday.

The metal roof of a new addition of the Marion Manufacturing company just east of the Pennsylvania passenger station, was lifted from its place and carried some distance.

In other parts of the city considerable damage was done, but only of a minor character.

Saturday & next week a sale of new Curtains & Rugs.

Just the curtains you'll enjoy having hang at the windows of a freshly cleaned room ---the newest, prettiest curtains, and greater selections of them: That's what one will find in our "New Curtain Store" (3d floor) **in addition to the lowest prices.**

There's about 5,000 pairs of curtains to select from--and every one is new.

Sale of Nottingham Curtains—in four lots, priced 39c, 65c, 89c, $1.19 pair.

At 39c a pair—very good Nottinghams—2½ yards in length.

At 65c pair—a lot of especially good 2½x3 yd. curtains—worth $1.

At 89c—Nottinghams in fine white or ecru net—3 yards long and quite wide.

The $1.19 curtains—include both Nottinghams and fine Cable net curtains—in white and Arabian.

Sale of Curtains at $2.98 pair.
Cable Nets worth $4 to $5 at $2.98
Flat Nets and Clunys at $2.98

Here's an excellent lot of fine new curtains—which we are sure are the best values to be found in town at anywhere near the price.

Other fine curtains—nearly 5000 pairs
—a price range of from 25c to $50 pair.

Here's just a hint of what you'll find—
Swiss curtains at from 25c to $2 pair.
Nottinghams at from 39c to $4 pair.
Fine flat net curtains $1.00, $1.50 to $3.50
Beautiful Clunys start at $2.75 up to $9.
Cable net curtains at $1.25 to $7.50.
Exquisite new Battenbergs at $1 to $30 pair.
Irish points from $3 a pair to $16.50.
Newest Princess curtains from $11 to $25.
Handsome Brussels nets at $4 and up to $50.

Savings on best 9x12 Rugs

9x12 Tapestry Brussels $14.75
9x12 Axminsters $19.50
Extra: $45 Wiltons $38

We've surprised ourselves. Never for a moment expected to sell so many fine rugs—the very first season that we have conducted such a department.

But we have carried a very tastefully selected line of patterns—which it seems were considerably more attractive than the average.

And then we've been content with a very reasonable profit—and have asked prices which customers have found to be the lowest in town.

That explains the big business we've been doing on the third floor.

The $14.75 tapestry Brussels rugs—are great values—and come in the most artistic and pleasing of floral and conventional patterns.

The fine $19.50 Axminsters—we'd just like to have you see them.

Paying $38 for the handsome $45 Wilton rugs—is about the easiest way of saving $7 we know of.

Sale of a dozen good patterns in 75c Ingrain carpets at 59c

We've about 1,000 yards of the best all-wool ingrains—which we are anxious to close out on the double quick.

That's why the price of these first quality, perfect carpets is dropped to cost—and less.

59c yard—value is 75c.

Best linoleums 55c square yard—
—a few good patterns left—which are well worth hurrying for at 55c.

Small Rugs under price.

Another lot of pretty Velvet rugs (size 27x54 inches) worth from $1.50 to $1.75—goes into this Friday and goes in to this sale

at 92c.

Heavy, velvety Axminster rugs. A heavy serviceable quality and in a line of the prettiest patterns we've seen. Size 3x6 feet. Regularly worth $5. Now we've marked them—

at $2.90

$2.50 feather pillows $1.49 pr.

A dealer from whom we buy practically all our feather pillows and cushions—makes us up each spring a lot of several dozens of these splendid pillows at a price.

His figure enables us to sell them at just $1.01 less a pair than they are regularly worth.

20x26 inches—filled with clean sanitary feathers and covered with either tan or blue striped linen tickings. (3d floor).

$1.49 a pair.

Buy Bed Spreads Saturday and Next Week 65c, 89c & $1.05

Three special lots of about 200 fresh, new bed spreads will go on sale at prices which will certainly sell them all out quickly.

At 65c worth 85c—
single bed size (or suitable for small double bed) crochet spreads in different patterns.

At 89c—
our own best $1 fringed bed spreads with cut corners. That good old "Sell and Repeat" brand which many of you know so well. 89c.

At $1.05, worth $1.50—
—one hundred of the large double bed size "Lexington" crochet quilts in Marseilles patterns. Hemmed.

(Domestic Dept., Rear Main Floor).

Spring Tickings 8c, 10½c & 15c yd.

Tickings which most every household will be needing soon at prices considerably cut.

At 8c yard—best 10c straw tickings—32 inches wide.

At 10½c yard—a finer grade; much closer and heavier, in different stripes. Or best 15c value.

At 15c instead of 18c—heavy-weight and best quality 18c feather tickings—32 inches wide—at 15c.

All 10c Shirtings 8½c yard
Saturday and next week.

About 50 pieces of finest and newest 10c blue and black "Blackhide" shirtings and striped and checked cheviots. All 10c grades at 8½c yard.

(Rear main floor

MARION'S BUSIEST STORE. *The Uhler-Phillips Co.* MARION'S BUSIEST STORE.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS HOLD A BIG MEETING

W. A. Belt, of Kenton, Inspects Local Chapter.

BANQUET FOLLOWS THE DEGREE WORK

The Daughters of America Confer Degree and Arrange for Future Work—A Meeting of Mizpah Encampment, I. O. O. F.—Pythians Transact Business—Lodge Notes.

The members of Marion Chapter, No. 62 Royal Arch Masons, held an important meeting, Tuesday evening, at which the royal arch degree was conferred and the chapter was inspected by D. W. A. Belt of Kenton.

The attendance was very good. At the conclusion of the inspection Dr. Belt showed the degree team of the chapter as a result of considerable work done.

Following the conferring of the degree work, an oyster supper was served to the members of Marion Chapter No. 62, Order of the Eastern Star, in the banquet hall.

Regular business was transacted at the meeting of Marion Encampment, No. [illegible] O. of P. Tuesday evening.

The degree was conferred on seven candidates at a well-attended meeting of the Daughters of America, Tuesday evening. Five applications were balloted on and four presented. After an interesting business session, a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served. The degree will be conferred on a class at the next meeting in two weeks.

The Red Men held a well-attended meeting, Tuesday evening, at which routine business was transacted.

A regular meeting of Canby Lodge, No. 54, Knights of Pythias, was held Tuesday evening.

A very enjoyable ladies' social was given by the members of Canby Lodge No. 54 Knights of Pythias, Wednesday, about [illegible] couples being present. Dancing [illegible] cards were enjoyed.

The committee in charge was composed of Earl M[illegible] and John Abel.

A meeting of Marion Council, No. 22, Royal and Select Masters, was held at the Masonic temple, Wednesday evening, and [illegible] quite well attended. A large [illegible] of candidates will receive the [illegible] degrees in a short time. A [illegible] communication was appointed for Wednesday evening, at which the royal and select masters' degree will be conferred.

The House Committee held a well-attended meeting Wednesday evening. The candidates were given the initiatory work and routine business was transacted. It was decided to [illegible] and next Wednesday evening.

The Knights of Malta held a regular meeting, Wednesday evening, with a large [illegible]. Two candidates were initiated and four applications were acted on. It was decided to hold a special meeting of the degree team and the staff next Monday evening.

The Eagles met in regular session, Wednesday evening. Routine business was transacted.

The Merry Widow is to play another engagement of six weeks in Chicago, beginning the middle of April.

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ARE MARRIED AT HOME OF PASTOR

Miss Irma G. Weitzel and Mr. Harry P. Grady.

Miss Irma G. Weitzel and Mr. Harry Paul Grady were united in marriage at the Free Baptist parsonage by Rev. G. E. Barnard, Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock. Both have been residents of this city but a short time. They will reside at No. 531 north Prospect street.

A woman never knows what a man thinks of her, although she thinks she does.

A man generally weighs most at his fortieth year.

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MRS. MARY JACKSON TAKES WITNESS STAND

Is Giving Her Testimony in Curry Murder Trial.

RELATES THE STORY OF HUSBAND'S DEATH

She Insists That Curry Fires Three Shots—Attorneys for Defence Offer Objections to Much of the Testimony Given—A Bitter Battle Between the Attorneys.

Upper Sandusky, April 21.—[Special.]—Mrs. Mary Jackson, widow of John W. C. Jackson, was the first witness in the Curry murder trial, the taking of testimony in which was begun here, this morning. She repeated practically the same story as she told the coroner, the full details of which have been published in the Marion Star.

The widow of the slain man told her story in a straight-forward, convincing manner. She never once faltered, until the state offered her dead husband's clothing as evidence when she showed signs of breaking down. She insisted that Curry, the Erie Railroad company's detective, fired three shots, although the chamber of the revolver found on Curry when he surrendered showed that only two cartridges had been exploded.

Mrs. Jackson took the stand at 10:10 o'clock this morning, and will probably pass the greater part of the day in testifying.

From the start it was evident that a bitter battle would be waged between the attorneys. The defense is objecting to Mrs. Jackson's testimony at almost every point, but Prosecuting Attorney Charles L. Justice, at the conclusion of this morning's testimony, felt sanguine that the widow of Curry's victim would prove a formidable witness, who would be able to withstand the gruelling of cross-examination without materially weakening her story. It did not differ in any material point. The jurors lean forward in their seats much of the time that no bit of the widow's testimony may be lost to them.

Court opened at 8:30 o'clock this morning, after the jurors in the presence of Hamilton R. Curry, the detective charged with Jackson's murder in the first degree, had visited Marion, Tuesday afternoon, and viewed the cornfield where the shooting occurred near the Jackson home.

The following entry had been made in the case by Judge Daniel Babst, of Crestline, who is presiding:

"Venire of thirty-six electors appeared as summoned. Sworn upon the voir dire. Jury empaneled and sworn. On motion of the defendant and, it appearing to the court to be proper, the jury is ordered to view the premises in a body, to be under the charge of Sheriff Veith and Deputy Sheriff Keltner. Such view is to be in the presence of the accused."

The jurors waded through mud shoetop deep at the scene of the tragedy as a result of the rain before and after their arrival. The party returned to Upper Sandusky at 4:20 o'clock.

At the opening of court, this morning, the attendance was small and was composed mostly of Marion people, the majority of whom are witnessses.

Prosecuting Attorney Charles L. Justice, of Marion, stated the case to the court and jury, while Attorney Robert Carey, of Upper Sandusky, performed the same duty for the defense. Both were to the point in their statements, the main feature of the state being that Curry promised Jackson he and his family could have coal along the Erie right-of-way, but when he went to serve a warrant on Jackson for stealing coal and the latter threatened to tell Superintendent C. A. Allen of Curry's promise, then, declared the prosecutor, the Erie Railroad company's detective fired the two shots, either of which would have been fatal.

Prosecutor Justice maintained that the shooting was done premeditatively and with malice. He declared that Curry had decided to kill and deliberately turned that decision over in his mind before he shot.

The claim of Curry's counsel is self-defense, as had been announced it would be in the Marion Star some time after the tragedy. Attorney Carey said that Jackson had threatened Curry with a cornecutter, after tearing the warrant in two and starting toward the detective, brandishing the weapon.

Counsel for the state and the defense agreed on the sparation of witnesses.

The attorneys had a lively tilt over how much time should be allowed the jury in Marion when viewing the premises. The defense feared that the sentiment in Marion against Curry would be communicated to the jury, should the jury remain in Marion too long, while the state contended that the jury would be so guarded that no such sentiment would be communicated to them.

Judge Babst made efforts to secure a special train on the Hocking Valley to make the trip to Marion, but this could not be done.

The Tuesday afternoon session convened at 12:30 and the jury was placed in charge of Sheriff William F. Veith, Deputy Sheriff Miles Keltner and court bailiffs, William Scheldegger and Charles Slemmer, and again admonished to have no conversation concerning the case during the trip to Marion.

The defense stated that the prisoner did not desire to accompany the jury, so Judge Babst ordered him to be taken back to jail. None of the attorneys accompanied the jurors.

Mrs. Jackson Gives Her Story.

Upper Sandusky, April 22.—[Special.]—Court convened Wednesday at 1 p. m., in the trial of Hamilton R. Curry, with a fair-sized crowd, composed almost entirely of men, in attendance. The crowd rapidly increased, until all of the remaining seats were taken.

During the progress of Mrs. Jackson's cross-examination, the shirt of Jackson was offered in evidence by the defense, which endeavored to show that it would have been impossible for the defendant, Curry, to have inflicted the wound in the collarbone of Jackson as he lay on his back in the manner described by the witness. At 2.10, at the suggestion of the attorneys, the court granted a recess of ten minutes.

After being asked a few more questions, Mrs. Jackson explained the condition of her husband's health, stating he was of a very nervous disposition, was very weak physically, also that he was blind in one eye and his hearing was partially affected. The witness, after a long and very severe examination, was then excused at 2:15, having occupied the stand more than three hours. Her answers came unhesitatingly and were direct and to the point, and she appeared none the worse for having gone through the trying ordeal.

Laura Jackson Fairchild was then called to the stand, and on being examined by Prosecutor Justice, unhesitatingly related practically the same story as that of her mother. On cross-examination, the witness told of the trip of her father to Toledo, and the return of her father and Frank McDonald and "Scotty" Myers to their home. Being asked as to whether or not McDonald or Myers had any money with which to pay their way to Marion, the state objected and a heated argument arose between the attorneys, whereupon the court severely reprimanded the attorneys, stating that he would tolerate no quarreling among the attorneys or allow any interference by attorneys during the examination of the witnesses. In describing the manner of her father's death, the witness, under a very rapid and severe cross-examination, broke down entirely and was unable to proceed with her testimony for some time.

Attorney Eagan was instructed by the court to refrain from asking questions of the witness until she had completely regained her self-control and was able to proceed. On being asked further regarding the shooting of her father, the witness again broke down, and the court ordered another recess of ten minutes. After further cross-examination by Eagan, the state having no desire to ask further questions, Mrs. Fairchild was excused.

As Prosecutor Justice stated that he had expected the testimony of Mrs. Jackson and her daughter, Laura, to consume the entire day, he had not thought it necessary to subpoena Frank McDonald, now confined in the Marion county jail, until Thursday also stating that he wished to use him as his next witness, whereupon the court adjourned until 8:30 today.

The defendant, Curry, was then transferred to the county jail.

Mrs. Curry and two daughters are constantly at the defendant's side, as is also his aged mother, all of whom seem to take a keen interest. The defendant appears very unconcerned for one who is facing a charge so serious.

Frank McDonald, the state's star witness, occupied the stand one hour and twenty minutes, this morning. He told practically the same story that he related at the coroner's inquest. Every effort was made by Attorney John Egan, of Dayton, counsel for the defendant, to confuse McDonald, but his testimony was at no time shaken. In spite of the severe gruelling given him in the cross-examination, McDonald remained pleasant, answering all questions politely, until Attorney Egan insinuated that he had been a convict in the Michigan state penitentiary.

Witness McDonald, who had borne all assaults upon his character without apparent annoyance, suddenly grew angry and hotly denied that he was ever a convict. And the defense failed to introduce any evidence to show that he had been.

Previous to the question, which caused McDonald to become so angry, he admitted that he had been arrested at Flint, Michigan, at one time, on suspicion of breaking into a house, but that he was shortly afterward released. He also acknowledged to having been arrested at one time in Detroit for intoxication.

McDonald further admitted that Prosecuting Attorney Justice had "stood good" for the suit of clothes he was wearing at the trial and that he had received $20 in money.

Immediately after the cross-examination, Prosecutor Justice, upon redirect examination, had McDonald explain that he, McDonald, intended to pay for the clothes, and that he had been confined in the Marion county jail as a witness, for which he was to receive one dollar a day, under the law.

The witness told his story without hesitation. It was virtually the same as that of Mrs. Jackson, widow of John W. C. Jackson, for whose death Hamilton R. Curry, the Erie Railroad company's detective is now being tried for first degree murder.

McDonald was brought from Marion to Upper Sandusky, this morning, by Deputy Sheriff J. M. Davidson.

Court convened, this morning at 8:30 o'clock. Only a few spectators were present. Curry was brought into the court-room a few minutes after the opening of court by Deputy Sheriff Miles Keltner. He was given a seat near his family. Frequently, during the morning session, he conversed with his wife. The prisoner was very nervous and chewed tobacco almost constantly.

A ten-minute recess was held at 9:30 o'clock, at which time Curry shook hands with a number of people, who had come up from Marion.

Floyd Walters and Claude Jones were the remaining witnesses of the morning session. Their testimony was not important.

Owing to the absence of some witnesses for the state, the trial was adjourned, this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, until 8:30 o'clock Friday morning.

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THE ATTENDANCE EXTREMELY GOOD

Members of the Foreign Missionary Society Offer Thoughts as to the Work Abroad—The Home Society Enjoys Papers of Timely Interest About Its Field of Endeavor.

The regular monthly meetings of the Home and Foreign Missionary societies, of the First Presbyterian church, were held at the church, Wednesday afternoon, with a large attendance.

The Foreign society held the first meeting, the topic of the program being "India." Miss Ruth Hummer, leader, read from the scriptures, then gave the contents of several letters from missionaries in India.

"The Old Order Changeth" was the title of a leaflet read by Mrs. G. A. Starner. Mrs. Charles Harriman contributed a character sketch of "Budu."

Following prayer by Mrs. O. W. Weeks, Mrs. Lowery Langley sang a solo.

"The Pacific Coast" was the topic of the Home missionary society's program. Mrs. U. J. Seffner presided. Mrs. Carroll May read a leaflet entitled "Missions of the Southwest," and Mrs. W. B. Foye gave a paper on "A Potent People Pushing."

"Men, Money and Momentum" was the name of a paper read by Mrs. Seffner, who closed the program by calling for the report of Mrs. J. B. Hume, delegate to the Marion Presbytery, which was held at Delaware.

Tea was served by the members of class A.

MRS. DAVID GOMPF WAITS FOR HUSBAND

He Promises To Meet Her and Fails To Appear.

David Gompf, a youth who eloped to Canada last summer and married Mrs. Birdie Smith, ten years his senior, has disappeared from his home in this city.

The deserted wife is now at the home of her missing husband's father, William H. Gompf, of Quarry street. She says she has no idea as to where her husband has gone and expects to obtain employment as a domestic to earn her livelihood. Her husband is only nineteen years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Gompf had been living on George street for some time, having come here from Columbus, where both were employed. Saturday night, they came up town together. According to Mrs. Gompf, her husband was to meet her at a certain grocery at 9 o'clock that night, but failed to do so and has not been seen or heard from since.

They who have fought temptation are always tender to the tempted.

MARION HIGH SCHOOL RECEIVES NICE HONOR

Is Placed on Accredited List of a College.

FEW OHIO SCHOOLS GIVEN SUCH RATING

A Representative of the Northwestern College and Secondary Schools Pays the High School a Visit and Action Is Taken on His Report. Superintendent Frank Pleased.

Superintendent H. L. Frank has received a letter apprising him of an honor which has been conferred on the Marion High school. It has been placed on the accredited list of the Northwestern college and secondary schools, the highest accredited association in the Middle West.

Superintendent Frank states that the honor is a notable one, and means much more than to be a leader among the accredited schools on the local Ohio lists.

Not more than half a hundred Ohio schools are ranked on the accredited list of the Northwestern association. The action with regard to Marion was taken at a meeting recently held in Chicago. It was only after a representative had been sent here to inspect the High school, and a long list of requirements relative to the furnishing of data, equipment, course of study, etc., had been complied with.

Superintendent Frank is much elated over the fact that the local High school has been recognized in this manner. The High school already stood among the foremost of the High schools of Ohio, but this recognition places it much higher in the estimation of college and university authorities of the country.

HIS WIDOW GETS A MERE PITTANCE

The Estate of the Late John C. F. Hull.

The Los Angeles Times of recent date prints a lengthy story relative to the disposition of the estate of the late John C. Fremont Hull, who died recently in Los Angeles. Among the gentlemen who were classed as personal friends of Mr. Hull and knew, if anybody did, the extent of his wealth, is James Bastable, a former Marionite. Mr. Bastable was a witness to the making of the will, but knew nothing of its contents. Because of the fact that the widow was cut off in the will with but a mere pittance, the paper printed a lengthy story of the marital troubles of the couple. The estate is estimated at $30,000, of which the wife is to receive $1,000, if the provisions of the will are carried out.

FATHER IS SEEKING CUSTODY OF CHILD

William Price Begins an Action in Court.

William Price, of this city, is seeking the custody of his eight-year-old son in the Morrow county courts.

The boy has been making his home with his grandmother, Mrs. Abbie Alligee, of Carlington, since his parents were divorced several months ago. At the time of the granting of the divorce to Mrs. Price, the child was ordered turned over to the grandmother. The father asks that court modify its former order for the reason that since the order was made, and at the present time, the child's grandmother is feeble in health and unable to care for the youngster. He sets up that he has a good home in this city, has steady employment and is very able to give the boy proper care.

TUBERCULOSIS IS CAUSE OF DEATH

Emery B. Schindler Dies Wednesday Evening.

Emery B. Schindler, aged thirty years and twenty-four days, died of tuberculosis at his home, near Upper Sandusky, Wednesday evening. The deceased is well known in Marion. He is survived by a widow, one son, aged nine years, his parents, and the following brothers and sisters:

J. K. and H. D. Schindler and Mrs. Ethel Gelbaugh, of this city; V. H. Schindler, of Harpster; H. L. Schindler and Mrs. Margaret McBride, of near Nevada, and Mrs. Celia Briggs, of Santa Monica, California.

The funeral services will be held at the Methodist Episcopal church at Upper Sandusky, Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, followed by interment in the Old Mission cemetery.

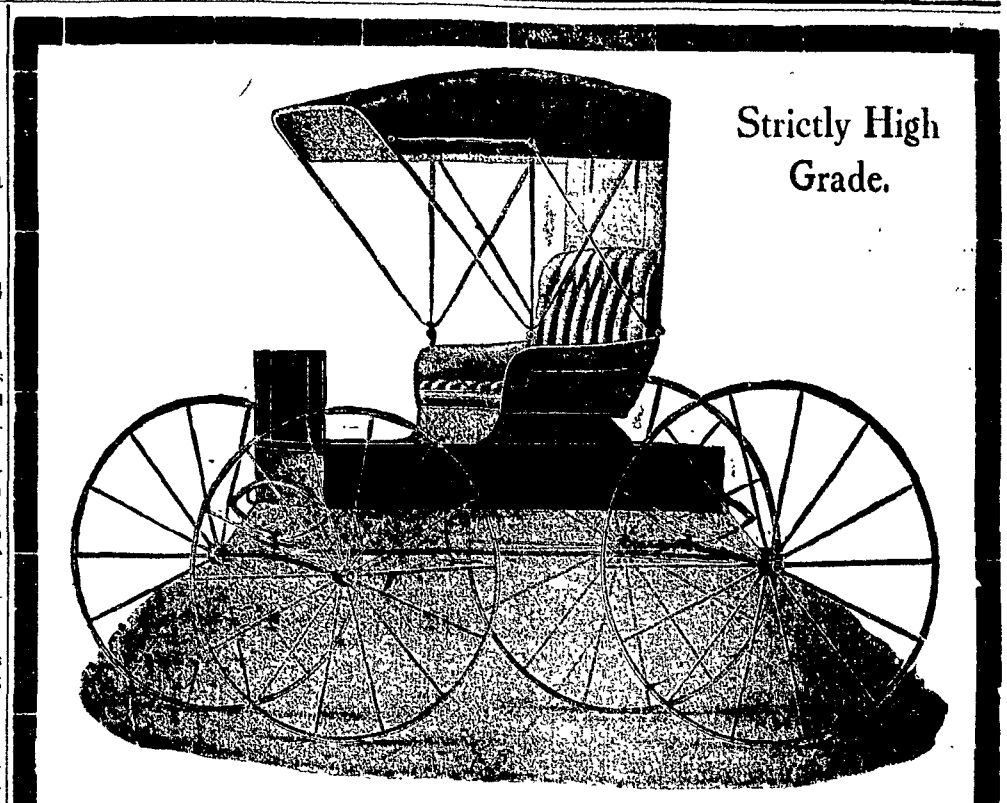
CELEBRATION OF AN ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. James McClintock Host and Hostess.

Mr and Mrs. James McClintock, who have a wide circle of friends in this city, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage at their home in Bucyrus, Tuesday, by entertaining a company numbering about sixty guests.

The day was given to social greetings and various pleasing diversions. A big dinner was served.

A number of friends and relatives from this city enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. McClintock.



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CLUB WOMEN MEET AT HABERMAN HOME

Mrs. William Hoberman Is Hostess to Club.

EMBROIDERY WORK OCCUPIES THE TIME

After Needles Are Laid Aside, Luncheon Is Served—Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Weidemann Entertain Members of the Harmony Club—Society Notes of Interest.

Mrs. William Hoberman, of north Main street, was hostess to the members of the W. S. J. club at her home, Tuesday afternoon. The attendance was large. During the afternoon, pleasant season of embroidery work was enjoyed by the guests and luncheon was served.

Those present aside from the members of the club were Mrs. Henry Waggoner, Mrs. Harvey Ball, Mrs. E. Munnell, Mrs. Fred Stroble, Mrs. J. W. Hungate, Mrs. Herbert Richards and Miss Benedict.

The next meeting of the club will be held in two weeks with Mrs. William Smith, of Blaine avenue.

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Mr and Mrs. Frank E. Weidemann entertained the Harmony club at their home on Franklin street, Tuesday evening. Progressive pedro was the evening game. Mrs. Burl Curtis scored the highest number of points for the ladies, while Mr. C. F. Smith was highest of the gentlemen. Mrs. H. E. Klinefelter won the guest prize and Mrs. J. L. Lunger was presented the guests' consolation prize.

The guests of the club were Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Klinefelter, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lunger, Mr and Mrs. E. G. Staiger, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gurney, Miss Dorothy Glimpse and Mr. Harry Elliott.

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Mrs. James Fies pleasantly entertained the Stitchers' club at her home on Silver street, Tuesday evening, at a dress-up party. Games and music were enjoyed and a guessing contest was held. Miss Gertrude Gibson was awarded the first prize. During the evening, Miss Hazel Pangborn served punch and later lunch was served by the hostess.

Those present were Mrs. Charles Bender, Mrs. Clinton Royer, Mrs. William Fies, Mrs. A. O. Jennings, Mrs. Fred Clark, Misses Iva Feaster, Nellie Bolander, Tressie Welch, Pearl Krause, Hilda Pangborn, Rosella Kehrwecher, Goldie Gelbaugh, Faye Wood, Garnet Jennings, Gertrude Gibson, Pauline Royer, Goldie Rensler.

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Mrs. Justin Weideman, of Oak street, was hostess to the Amicitia club, Wednesday afternoon. Following a season of embroidery work, a social hour was enjoyed. Lunch was served.

The club guests were Mrs. George Seaman and Mrs. Fred Schurlie.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. W. F. Cunningham, of the Boulevard, in two weeks.

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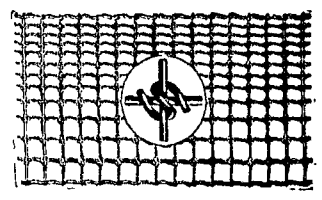

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FRANK E. DIEBOLD DIES VERY SUDDENLY

Death Comes at His Home in Tacoma, Washington.

News of the sudden death of Frank Edward Diebold, a former Marion resident, at Tacoma, Washington, was received here by local relatives Thursday morning. The cause of his death is unknown.

Mr. Diebold was thirty-five years of age. He left Marion, eleven years ago, for the Klondike in company with Jacob Diebold, a brother, and Louis Brigel. After prospecting for several years, Mr. Diebold went to California, where he married, and later went to Tacoma. He is a steam shovel engineer and was formerly employed by the Marion Steam Shovel company. He is survived by three sisters and four brothers, as follows:

Mrs. Joseph B. Schneider, Jr., and Mrs. William Ballentine, of this city; Mrs. Louis Fies, of Portland, Oregon; Fred E. Diebold, now operating a steam shovel in Cuba; Jacob Diebold, who is still in the Klondike; William Diebold, of Los Angeles, California, and Charles Diebold, of Marion.

THE FRESHOUR HOME SCENE OF MARRIAGE

Miss Freshour and Mr. Reyburn E. Howery United.

In the presence of only the intimate friends and relatives, Miss Jessie G. Freshour and Mr. Reyburn Edgar Howery were united in marriage, Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, at the home of the bride on the corner of Park and Mark streets. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. E. Barnard, pastor of the Free Baptist church.

Mr and Mrs Howery have been employed at the silk mills for some time and are very well-known and highly-respected young people. They will reside for the present with the bride's mother.

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JACOB SCHROTE'S BARN IS BURNED

Barn Is Struck by Lightning During Storm Wednesday.

A barn belonging to Jacob Schrote, about seven miles southeast of the city, was struck by lightning during Wednesday's storm. The structure, which contained about ten tons of hay, is practically a complete loss, there being but little insurance. With the assistance of neighbors who made a hard fight, Mr. Schrote was able to save his horses and practically all his farm machinery.

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MRS. CYRUS STAMATS DIES NEAR RICHWOOD

Death Is the Result of a Lingering Illness.

CREEPING PARALYSIS CAUSE OF DEMISE

Mrs. H. Schmelzer Is Hostess to a Missionary Society of the Baptist Church at Richwood—The Work of Paving Streets of Village Resumed. Some Richwood Notes.

Richwood, April 22.—[Special.]—Mrs. Margaret Stamats, wife of Cyrus Stamats, died Monday afternoon, at her home, west of Richwood, after a long illness of creeping paralysis. She had been ill for over eighteen months and had not walked since last November. She was fifty-nine years old in January. The deceased was born in Jerome township. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Fish. Her father died several years ago. Her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Fish, is still living, her home being in Richwood. The deceased lived near Richwood for over twenty-nine years. She was a highly respected woman of Christian character. Besides the husband, two daughters survive. They are Mrs. R. R. Linn, of near Richwood, and Mrs. Carrie Sivey, who resides with her father. There are four grandchildren living. Funeral services were held from the M. E. church at York, Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock, Rev. L. S. Colborn, pastor of the Richwood Baptist church, officiating. Interment followed at York.

J. E. Thompson, of Covington, Kentucky, visited his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Westheimer, of north Franklin street, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rainsburg arrived in Richwood, last week, from Oklahoma, to spend a few days with M. C. Wolgamot and family before going to LaRue and Kenton to visit relatives. Since coming here Mrs. Rainsburg has been seriously ill of sciatic rheumatism.

Curtis Dixon was called to Byhalia, Tuesday night, by the dangerous illness of his father, L. A. Dixon. The latter was in his usual health, Tuesday, and at 10:30 o'clock he retired. In a few minutes he was attacked by apoplexy. He soon became unconscious and died at 3 o'clock, Wednesday morning, after an illness of less than five hours. He was fifty-four years old and had lived on his farm near Byhalia for over thirty years. He is survived by a wife and nine children. Funeral services will be held, Friday morning, from the Byhalia M. E. church, Rev. O. E. Smith, of York, officiating. Interment will follow at Byhalia.

J. F. Woods, R. R. Gill and E. I. Fissel left, Tuesday noon, for the South and West to spend several weeks on a pleasure trip. They will visit Chattahooga, New Orleans, Galveston and other cities and will spend several days at Brownville, Texas. A few days will be spent in Matamoras and other cities in Mexico.

A meeting of the Claiborne township Sunday-school association will be held Sunday afternoon and evening, in Richwood. The afternoon session will be held in the M. P. church. W. N. Plotner, of York, president of the Union County Sunday-school association and E. M. Balo, of Raymond, the county secretary, will be the speakers. A union meeting of all the local churches will be held in the Presbyterian church Sunday evening. Rev. Charles B. Cramer, pastor of the M. E. church, will deliver the address.

Mrs. M. C. Miller was in Prospect, Tuesday, in attendance at the funeral of the late Stephen H. Sweeney.

Mrs. H. Schmelzer was hostess to the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the Baptist church, Wednesday afternoon, at her home on Wood street. The leader was Mrs. L. S. Colborn. The lesson for the afternoon was from "The Call of the Waters" and the study, "Following the War Path." The attendance was good and a very profitable meeting was held.

Mrs. Louie Tenney is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. H. Browning, of Columbus, this week.

Miss Mary Jones visited over Sunday with her mother, in Marion. She was accompanied by Miss Maude Hough.

Dr. E. L. Mather and N. O. Mather, of Akron, visited their mother, Mrs. Anna Mather, who resides south of Richwood, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. R. M. Taylor and little son, Max, of Marysville, have been guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Ida E. Witbeck, during the past few days.

Miss Madge McDowell, of Delaware, spent Sunday here with her parents, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McDowell, of north Franklin street.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the Presbyterian church was entertained, Wednesday afternoon, by Mrs. J. L. Long, at her home on south Franklin street. Mrs. H. C. Duke had charge of the program, which was unusually interesting.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Haines, of Bellefontaine, were guests, during the past week of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hill, of east Ottawa street.

Wilbert Livingston has been absent from his duties at N. M. Baldwin's grocery for several days on account of illness.

Mrs. Ida King left, Tuesday, for Cincinnati, where she will spend several days with relatives and friends.

Dr. S. J. Bown was in Marysville Saturday, on business.

Mrs. C. H. Hoffman, at her home on south Franklin street, was hostess to the Womna's Home Missionary society of the M. E. church, Wednesday afternoon. The topic for the afternoon was "The New Migration." Several interesting readings were given and the program was partially made up of music.

Rev. M. R. Stover, pastor of the M. P. church, will deliver an address to the members of the Richwood Lodge, No. 443, I. O. O. F., Sunday morning. The lodge members will meet at their hall and march to the church in a body.

Mrs. Anna Fasnaugh was in Marion, Monday, where she consulted a specialist in regard to her eyes, from which she has been suffering for some time.

The Richwood board of education has introduced the study of domestic science in the local public schools. The girls of the seventh and eighth grades will be taught sewing, the lessons to be given on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. The classes will be under the supervision of the eighth grade teacher, Miss Jessie Jones. The boys of the seventh and eighth grades were started in the study of manual training several months ago.

Mrs. R. R. Gill is visiting her parents and other relatives at Wooster, during the absence of her husband, who left, Monday, for a two-weeks trip through the South.

Master David Jones, the little son of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Jones, of Van Wert, is dangerously ill. The child had suffered of a gathering in the head and was operated on several days ago. Complications have arisen, making his condition very serious. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Jones formerly lived in Richwood and are the parents of Mrs. D. B. Whitehead.

Members of the firm of A. E. Freshwater & Sons, paving contractors, of Chester, West Virginia, arrived in Richwood a few days ago to finish the paving of north Franklin street. A small section of the street just across the Erie railroad track on the north was left unfinished last fall when the weather broke up. It is expected that the work will be completed within a few days.

See Beatty & Long's shoe window. wky-Fri

OBITUARIES.

Christian Jewett Monroe, child of J. G. Monroe and his wife, Leona, was born February 22, 1908. December 22, 1908, he was brought to the Lord in holy baptism and received the new birth which made him a child of God and an heir of His kingdom. Christian Jewett was the joy and delight of his fond parents, and most gladly would they have retained this treasure, but the Lord willed otherwise. Last Wednesday, from a cold which developed into pneumonia, the little treasure fell asleep, his soul mounting to the God who had given it. The little pilgrim was here one year, one month and twenty-three days. His departure is mourned by his parents, grandparents and many friends. ***

Noah Lee was born in Scott township, Marion county, July 5, 1833, and died April 14, 1909, aged seventy-five years, nine months and nine days. He was married to Miss Elizabeth Reed, April 23, 1867. To this union was born two sons, William R. and Frank C. Lee. William R., by a tragic death which occurred in Iowa, preceded his father sixteen years, two months and seven days, to the Great Beyond. Hence there is left his beloved consort, one son and one brother, besides many more distant relatives and friends, to mourn their loss. Mr. Lee traveled quite extensively in the West in his early life and was one of the many who made the territory of Kansas a free state. In the early years of his married life, he and his good wife joined the Universalist society in this place before an edifice was erected for worship, and was ever found loyal to all of its requirements, and also to the highest dictates of his own conscience. He became a member of Oliver Lodge, No. 417, F. & A. M., in its early history, when the lodge met in a low two story building, carpeted with sawdus. Later he became a charter member of the Order of Eastern Star. In politics he was a Democrat, but when circumstances seemed to call for a change he ignored party lines, and gave of his time and money that high moral and social conditions might prevail in the village and country that he so much loved. Hence we feel that the vacancy left by his sudden demise, cannot be filled but we know that he has "A house not made by hands, eternal in the heavens." ***

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A FAREWELL AFFAIR AT IRELAND HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Ridgley Ireland To Leave Martel.

SPECIAL SERVICES AT CANAAN CHURCH

William Bauer's Dog Is Shot After Biting Several Animals and a Man. Dog Is Believed Mad—A Company Gathers at Clark Home and Does Sewing—Martel Notes of Week.

Martel, April 22.—[Special.]—A number of neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ridgley Ireland gathered at their home southwest of town, Monday evening, and tendered them a farewell. They will move to Fowlerville, Michigan, in the near future.

On account of quarterly meeting the Canaan M. E. Sunday-school postponed the Easter exercises until last Sunday, April 18. Quite a nice program was rendered.

A dog owned by William Bauer had to be shot, Tuesday morning, after having bitten several dogs, a number of valuable hogs and Rinehart Troupf on the hand. It had been acting strangely for some time, and is believed to have been mad.

A number of ladies gathered at the home of Mrs. Sherman Clark, Thursday, and spent the day in making quilts and comforts for the relief of Melvin Reed and family who unfortunately lost everything by fire April 1. Those present were Mrs. Emerson Brownlee, Mrs. Addie Struthers, Mrs. John Cox, Mrs. Samuel Burkhart, Mrs. Joe Clark, Mrs. Hattie Noble, Mrs. P. D. Riddle, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. J. C. Servison and Mrs. Mary Wilson.

A. S. Downs is having his store and residence fitted out with an acetylene light outfit.

Miss Jennie Winters returned to her home west of town, Tuesday, after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. William Weidamier, in Marion.

Miss Emma Pinyard, of Climax, was the guest of Mrs. Alice Evans last week.

Mrs. Laura Gregory and Albert Gregory, of South Woodbury, spent Sunday at the Ralph Russel home.

Mrs. Mrs. Clem Apt was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Heidman, near Edison, Sunday.

Mrs. Clark Cox, who has been suffering an attack of pneumonia, for the past two weeks is slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kinnamon entertained, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Foreman and family, of Marion, and Mr. and Mrs. Wicklisse Roberts and family, of near Caledonia.

Mrs. Mary Ann Dickson, of north of town, is visiting relatives at Centerburg.

Miss Bessie Mace, of Mansfield, is visiting at the Mitchell Kilgore home, south of town.

Rev. M. P. Gallaher left, Thursday, for Mt. Gilead, where he will spend a few days with relatives. He will then visit relatives and friends in Galion and Mt. Victory before he returns.

Mrs. Lewis Francis returned to her home in Marion, Friday, after a few days' visit with relatives south of town.

Mrs Curtis Reece, of Nashville, Tennessee, was the guest of relatives and friends here, Thursday and Friday.

Misses Gem McCune and L. Constance Markey were business visitors in Caledonia Wednesday.

Mrs. G. J. Heileman returned home from Delaware, Friday, after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Homer Stone.

Miss Nettie Loyer returned to Galion, Friday, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Loyer, west of town.

Mrs. William Kurtz and daughter, Mildred, were the guests of friends at Edison, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Deweese and son, Forest, of Galion, spent Saturday and Sunday at the Jacob Loyer home.

Misses Eva Downs and Della Herring, of Marion, spent Sunday at the A. S. Downs home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Reece, of Marion, were the guests of relatives here several days last week.

Cloyd O. Heileman, of Cleveland, and Homer Stone, of Delaware, were guests at the G. J. Heileman home here Sunday.

John Sulser and Ralph Downs were Galion visitors Sunday.

Mary Pace, Hazel Markey, Lenna Crock, Ho Bending, Elmer Hofstetter, Lester Baldinger, Iven and Ralph Downs and Glen Button attended the Patterson examination in Marion, Saturday.

Miss Nettie Spiece was the guest of William Hurr and family in Marion, from Wednesday until Friday.

John Burton who has been suffering of pneumonia for the past three weeks is again able to be about town.

Mrs. M. S. Rutherford returned to her home here, Wednesday, after an extended visit at the home of her son, D. S. Rutherford, near Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason and son, Lawrence, were business visitors in Marion Saturday.

Mrs. Bert Townsend returned to her home in Bellefontaine, Tuesday, after a week's visit at the home her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Benfield.

Master Delvan Cyphers was taken to the hospital at Galion, Tuesday, where he will pass through a very serious operation for a hip disease.

Mrs. Christopher Schwart and Mrs. Earl Haifla and daughter, of Crestline, were entertained at the William Bauer home northwest of town, Sunday.

Rev. Herman Eyer, of Cleveland, was the guest of Rinehart Troupf and family, Saturday and Sunday.

Emerson Brownlee who has been attending a veterinary college at Grand Rapids, Michigan, is home for the summer vacation.

ALBAN YEOMANS CLAIMS REWARD

Says He Secures Evidence Against Murderers.

Claiming that he apprehended the murderers of Shadrach Westbrook, suit has been brought by Alban Yeomans, of Cardington, against the commissioners of Morrow county to recover a reward of $500. He sets up in his petition that, March 17, 1904, Westbrook was robbed and murdered; that April 18 following, the commissioners offered a reward of $500, and that he, the plaintiff in this action, at great expense of time and money began a search, which, on or about March 17, 1907, resulted in the arrest of the guilty parties and their conviction.

Prosecuting Attorney Williams, of Morrow county, was here Wednesday. He states that Yeomans claims to have discovered and apprehended the alleged slayers of Westbrook through the medium of palmistry.

Prosecuting Attorney Williams also says that Harry Fitzell, a former Marion patrolman, is after the reward of $500, but declares that neither Fitzell nor Yeomans is entitled to it.

THE BREWERY MAY SELL BEER FOR FAMILY USE

Judge B. G. Young Gives Sweeping Decision.

MATTER OF KOENIG AGAINST THE STATE

Gustavus Koenig, an Employe of the Marion Brewing & Bottling Company, is Arrested for Selling Beer Under Rose Local-Option Law. Decision Means Much.

A decision of state-wide interest and sweeping in its effect on the Rose local-option law, was orally rendered by Judge B. G. Young, Wednesday, in the case of Gustavus Koenig against the State of Ohio.

Koenig was fined $50 in the court of Mayor Louis Scherff on a charge of selling beer to David C. Cope, who filed the affidavit. Through Attorneys Scofield, Durfee & Scofield, the case was taken up on error to the common pleas court. Koenig is an employe of the Marion Brewing & Bottling company.

Wednesday afternoon, the case was argued on its merits. Judge Young held that it was not a violation of the Rose local-option law to sell beer at the brewery for family use, although the law prohibited the sale of beer as a beverage, he said.

Attorneys for the Law and Order league gave notice of appeal.

MORRAL NOTES OF THE PAST FEW DAYS

People Visiting the Village and in the Vicinity.

Morral, April 22.—[Special.]—Mrs. J. D. Jolly has returned from a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Mills, of Detroit.

C. J. Sheffer purchased an automobile last week.

The storm, Wednesday, was quite severe, but not much damage was done.

Dr. J. W. Jolley was in Marion, Monday.

A farewell surprise was given Miss Ida Riley, Monday night. About twenty guests were present. The amusements of the evening were games and music. The hostess received several nice presents.

Mrs. C. H. Postle and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taft, of Columbus, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lupton left, Monday for West Virginia, where they will make their home for some time.

William Beck and son, Pearl, were visitors at Upper Sandusky, Sunday.

David Parker, of Harpster, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Parker.

Miss Ethel Jolley, who has been visiting her brother, Dr. Jolley, for some time, returned to her home in Richwood, last week.

Mrs. S. C. Baker is ill.

Mrs. C. J. Shaffer visited friends at Marysville and Raymond, this week.

Miss Hazel Cottrell is visiting her uncle, William Cottrell, of Harpster.

Miss Pearl Crim was in Marion, Tuesday.

Mrs. George Bogard is somewhat improved in condition. Her daughter, Mrs. Hosier, of Marion, is taking care of her.

C. D. Hudson was in Marion, Wednesday.

THOMAS MOORE WILL ENTER NEW BUSINESS

Will Engage in Creamery Work at Agosta.

YOUNGSTOWN MAN MOVES TO VILLAGE

Miss Carrie Mears Accepts a Place in Millinery Store at Agosta—Miss Spray Riley Guest at the R. U. Richards Home—Some Agosta Notes of the Past Week.

Agosta, April 22.—[Special.]—Thomas Moore, of near Youngstown, has moved his family to this place. Mr. Moore expects to engage in the creamery business.

Miss Spray Riley, of LaRue, was the guest of R. U. Richards, and family, Sunday.

Miss Mary Greenwalt was the guest of Marion friends, Wednesday.

John Eversole, of Prospect, was attending to business matters here, Saturday.

Mrs. Edward Schultz and daughter, Grace, and Mrs. C. Clixby, of Meeker, were the guests of relatives in Marion, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnthouse entertained Mrs. H. O. Ogden & daughter, Constance, of Mechanicsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. David Bilger at dinner, Sunday.

Miss Carrie Mears, of Meeker, has accepted a position in Mrs. Hannah Tonguet's millinery shop.

Mrs. J. Berger, of Marion, was the guest of Joseph Burley and family, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Clara Schmidt spent Thursday with Marion relatives.

E. D. Horton and C. Young were business callers in LaRue, Thursday.

Miss Liza Jane Carey is suffering with an attack of nervous trouble.

William Cleveland was a business visitor in Marion, Saturday.

C. Neimyier, of Prospect, was a business visitor here, Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Coulter, of near LaRue, was calling on friends here, Monday.

Edward Prettyman attended the funeral services of his uncle, J. L. Rizor, at Fairview, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grimm are spending the week with Perry Imbody and family, near Waldo.

Frank Wilson and family, of Marion, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Lehman, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Prettyman spent Sunday with F. Forider and family, near Richwood.

Mrs. David Bilger is spending a few days with E. M. Stockwell and family, at Prospect.

Miss Lois Dickinson and Miss Hazel Messenger, of DeCliff, were the guests of Miss Hazel Hosler, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Imbody, of south of town, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Rusler, Sunday.

Harry Deal of near DeCliff, was called to Wadsworth, Saturday, by the serious illness of his daughter, Mrs. W. O. Byers.

E. Martin was the guest of friends at Greenwich, from Friday until Sunday.

Lenore Knight, of Marion, is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Brady.

William Dutton returned home from Galion, Monday, after visiting several days at that place.

Mrs. Nellie Sparks and daughter, Bertha, returned to their home in Columbus, Tuesday, after visiting several days with the former's mother, Mrs. A. Godfrey.

Mrs. William Dutton is spending the week with David Sousely and family in Galion.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Hill, of Marion, were the guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, Tuesday.

ANDERSON TRIES TO RECOVER THE OFFICE

Begins a Proceeding in the Circuit Court.

A Fostoria special to the Ohio State Journal, this morning, says:

Friends today convinced Congressman Anderson of the futility of his proposed Columbus trip and an ouster and injunction suit against Acting Mayor Gebert was filed in the circuit court of this county. The answer required four days prior to that called for by the Denman suit. It claims Anderson is and has been performing the duties of the office, that Gebert abandoned that of vice mayor when council elected E. A. Warner president of that body, that demand for the records and city seal was refused. Ouster from the office of mayor, injunction and other relief are asked. Clyde J. Johnson was appointed acting mayor by Anderson, to serve until June 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson returned to Washington this evening.

PROBATE COURT.

Lloyd P. DeGolley has been appointed administrator of the estate of Sarah J. Collins, deceased. He furnished $2,000 bond in the probate court.

The will of Jacob L. Rizor, deceased, has been filed for probate.

Rubber boots that wear sold at Beatty & Long's cut price shoe store—see us before buying anything. w

REAL ESTATE.

W. F. Almendinger to Peter Graves and others, eighty-six and one-half acres in Prospect township, $8,685.

Caroline Bender and others to Henry A. Baker, lot in Marion, $2,000.

H. A. Baker to the Marion Steam Shovel company, lot in Marion, one dollar.

Rose A. Bohler to B. F. Young and others, lot in Marion, $700.

John H. Bain to Martha O. Welsh, part of a lot in Marion, $800.

Katie Cowl to the Marion Steam Shovel company, lot in Marion, $3,600.

F. M. Cook, by administratrix, to Moses E. Fleming, lot in Prospect, $1,600.

George B. Christian and others to Wilda Wooley, four lots in Marion, $250.

Stern I. Pace to A. B. Bigley, part of lot in Marion, $100.

Avodale Real Estate company to John E. Gambrill, lot in Marion, $400.

David Crock to Clinton D. Graham, part of two lots in Marion, $2,500.

Jennie D. Court to Mabel D. Merchant, lot in Marion, $2,000.

Eugenia Cleveland to M. S. Burdge, undivided one-half interest of three lots in LaRue, one dollar.

W. A. Chapman to F. S. Foster, part of lot in Marion, $1,700.

Noah Clark, by executor, to Nellie Clark, part of lot in Marion, $702.30.

Bertha M. Court to S. T. Court, undivided one-half interest in two lots in Marion, one dollar.

Anna E. Carhart to Ida R. Brewer and others, part of two lots in Marion, one dollar.

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May E. Dennison to John G. Stark, part of lot in Marion, $1,700.

Elizabeth Decker to Charles F. Trefz, lot in Martel, $550.

Eva A. Davis and others to Enos G. Vannatta, three acres in Marion, $2,000.

Mabel J. Davidson to Emma E. Huneke, lot in Marion, $1,800.

A. C. Edmondson to the Marion Steam Shovel company, fifteen acres in Marion, $3,000.

Elizabeth Emerson to Henry A. Baker, lot in Marion, $1,300.

Adam Grunditsch to Prince Johnson, five lots in Marion, $500.

Louise C. Gottschall to Albert F. Fetter, lot in Marion, $600.

Jones & Wilson to Hugh Bowers, lot in Marion, $300.

W. T. Jones to Claude Werts, lot in Marion, $1,500.

Martha Kennedy to Thomas F. Slagle, about forty-three acres in Scott township, $3,248.25.

G. A. Krautter to F. M. Drake, part of two lots in Marion, $1,200.

Henry M. Kaler to Henry A. Baker, lot in Marion, $2,700.

TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF DEPARTED SISTER

The Beautiful Christian Life of Mrs. A. D. Matthews.

The following tribute to the memory of Mrs. A. D. Matthews has been prepared by the Woman's Relief corps:

With her church first our saintly Mother Matthews developed a beautiful, fruitful Christian character. As a Methodist itinerant's wife, she showed a sunny hospitable disposition. With the Woman's Relief corps, of which she was a charter member, occupying second place in her heart, she exhibited the glow of an energetic mind full of patriotism and alive to its every interest. She was a revered department chaplain for some years, serving the local organization as president, and in many other capacities, faithfully and well. Although she had far passed her four score and ten years, she still climbed the stairs in her zeal to reach out meetings. But, finally becoming convinced that this was possibly over taxing her strength, she assured us that although she might be unable to meet with us it was not because she was losing interest. Far from it. Her carefully weighed counsel was ever appreciated and it invariably exemplified the glow of a careful and considerate mind. She having rounded out her fully allotted time and more our heavenly Father said to her, "It is enough, come up higher." The world is certainly the better for her life. May we who are left to still battle with life's problems, seek to emulate her faithful, exemplary character, that it may be said of us as of her, "She hath done what she could."

STORE OPENS FOR BUSINESS WEDNESDAY

The Company Will Deal from Mill to Customer.

The Yorkshire Woolen Mills company, which has leased the room formerly occupied by Ringer & Jennings, on south Main street, opened for business Wednesday. The new store carries a complete line of goods for spring suitings and does its tailoring in the most fashionable and up-to-date manner. The company deals from mill to the customer direct and carries the most fashionable suitings.

MISS STOCKWELL IS HOSTESS TO COMPANY

Party of Friends Gather and Give Her Surprise.

"FIVE HUNDRED" IS GAME OF EVENING

Special Exercises Are Held by the Pupils of the Prospect Schools. Rev. J. J. Halliday Delivers a Sermon in Toledo—His Pulpit Filled by Rev. Mr. Cheney.

Prospect, April 22.—[Special.]—Miss Edna Stockwell was given a pleasant surprise by a company of friends, at her home on Water street, Thursday evening, the occasion being her twenty-first birthday anniversary. The guests enjoyed a season of "Five Hundred," after which refreshments were served.

Earnest Cox, of Marion, was the guest of his parents here, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bechtel, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cowgill, of Marion, and Ora Smith, of Delaware, attended the funeral of the late S. H. Swaney, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. H. D. Beavers and sister, Mrs. E. S. McNabb, of Ashland, were guests of their sister, Mrs. Jesse Hunter, in Columbus Friday.

Miss Martha Stiffler, of Marion, was the guest of relatives here, from Friday to Sunday.

Miss Mary Finefrock was the guest of her friend, Miss Mary Dildine, at Radnor, from Friday to Monday.

Mrs. John Evans entertained her mother, Mrs. Fred Wohleater, of Delaware, Sunday.

Mrs. William Finley is spending the week with relatives at Marietta.

Mrs. Lucy Cook and son, Edwin, of Marion, were guests of friends here, Saturday.

Mrs. William Court entertained her brother, George Watkins, of Marion, Sunday.

Mrs. C. J. Cummins and Mrs. Charles Ramey were Columbus visitors Wednesday.

Miss Carrie Decker, of Warrensburg, was a guest at the home of Mrs. Manda Fox, Sunday.

Mrs. E. Idleman and daughter, Lola, were Marion visitors Saturday.

Mrs. R. L. Osborn and daughter, Hazel, were guests of Mrs. Osborn's sister, Mrs. Charles Miller, in Marion, Thursday.

Miss Florence Stark, of Waldo, was a guest at the Lutheran parsonage from Friday to Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Petty and son, Herbert, of Delaware, visited the former's sister, Mrs. O. H. Neimeyer, Thursday.

Miss Carrie Schelling returned, Saturday, from a pleasant visit with friends in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pace, of Cleveland, visited relatives here, Sunday.

Mrs. Martin Nemeyer and little son, of Marion, visited relatives here Thursday.

At a meeting of the Prospect High school alumni held at the schoolbuilding, Monday evening, Mrs. Albert Johnson was chosen president; Mrs. E. E. Wottring, vice president; Mrs. Mary Griffith, secretary; Miss Carrie Schelling, assistant secretary, and George Horn, treasurer.

Arbor day exercises were observed at the public schools, Friday afternoon, after which trees and shrubs were planted.

Mrs. William Gearhiser, of Waldo, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Court.

Rev. J. J. Halliday preached in Toledo, Sunday, his pulpit here being filled by Rev. Mr. Cheney, of Delaware.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fritch spent Saturday with relatives in Marion.

George D. Alden filled the last engagement of the Prospect lecture course, Monday evening, in his popular lecture, "The Needs of the Hour."

Harold Bowman, a student of the O. W. U. at Delaware, was a guest at the home of J. N. Freeman, Sunday.

Miss Winifred Gast, of St. Marys, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gast, Sunday.

Mrs. Estella Dildine, of Radnor, was a guest at the home of W. H. Dildine, Thursday.

Robert Curry, of Columbus, was entertained at the home of Mrs. C. Schelling, Sunday.

Mrs. Mollie Miller, of Richwood, was a guest at the home of Frank Miller, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Berris, of Marion, visited relatives here, Sunday.

Misses Hazel Osborn, Clara and Edith Wottring, Millie Biggerstaff, Edna and Cecil Stockwell, Gail Jones, Susie Cox and Cleo Roberts went to Morral, Saturday, and spent the day with their friend, Miss Audrey Bolander.

Joseph Cratty, of Columbus, was entertained at the home of J. M. Gast, Sunday.

Mrs. C. Abel and daughter, Mrs. Med Lavmen, of Marion, were entertained at the home of Mrs. Samuel Lichtenberger, Friday.

Mrs. L. R. McNeill was in Marion, Monday.

See Beatty & Long's cut price shoe store men's $1.69 patent bluchers. wk-F

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WREST POWER FROM SULTAN

Abdul Hamid to Reign But Will Not Rule.

YOUNG TURKS WIN BIG VICTORY

Secure Agreement That Affairs of Government Are to Be Placed in Hands of Ministers Responsible to Parliament — Constantinople Garrison to Be Replaced by Troops From Army of Investment—Capital Tranquil After Storm.

Constantinople, April 23. — As the result of the victory won over the sultan by the Young Turks, Abdul Hamid will remain as sovereign of the empire, but he will place the affairs of state entirely in the hands of the ministers who are responsible to parliament.

A compromise with the chiefs of the constitutional party has been arranged by Tewfik Pasha, grand vizier, and this was confirmed by the sultan personally to several of the constitutionalists who, with the utmost privacy, were introduced into the Yildiz Kiosk. In addition to promising to withdraw himself from administrative activities, the sultan agrees to a change in the personnel of the troops guarding the palace and the replacing of the Constantinople garrison by troops from the corps which has practically been investing the city for four days.

The fleet sailed for the Mediterranean, ostensibly for maneuvers, but in reality as a guarantee that the investing army would meet with no opposition from the navy. The only vessel that remains here is the cruiser Medjideh.

The members of the cabinet offered their resignations to the grand vizier, Tewfik Pasha, but he declined to accept them. He said the existence of the present cabinet, under the constitution, was irregular; that he was perfectly aware of the fact, but he felt that the ministers ought to remain in office rather than leave the country without a government.

Newspaper extras announced that the crisis was past, and this caused general relief. Politics were discussed freely in the cafes, but the sultan was rarely mentioned. The reckless talk of a few nights ago about the sovereign was not indulged in.

APPEAL FOR PROTECTION

American Woman Describes Conditions In Turkish Village.

Constantinople, April 23. — Miss Lambert, an American missionary, has sent the following dispatch from Hadjin, dated April 22:

"Hadjin has been surrounded for weeks by the villagers of this district, who are awaiting the opportunity to storm the place. All roads are closed and shots are being fired into the town irregularly. The dwellings on the outskirts have been burned. The authorities at Adana have been appealed to for aid, which has not been sent. A rumor from the outside says that an assault will be made on this place tonight."

THROWS BOMB INTO CAMP OF DEFENSE

Alienist For Hains Says Prisoner Is Perfectly Sane.

Flushing, N. Y., April 23.—A commotion was caused in the camp of the defense at the trial of Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., for the murder of William E. Annis, by Dr. L. S. Manson, an alienist retained by the defense, who declared that in his opinion Captain Hains was not insane at the present time and that the defense did not intend to raise such an issue, but would rest with the proof that the defendant was insane at the time of the shooting.

The physician was severely censured by the Hains lawyers for expressing this opinion, and afterward partly denied having made the statement credited to him. Chief Counsel McIntyre admitted that two of their alienists were of the opinion that the prisoner is now sane.

Two new jurors were added to the five already in the box.

STRIKE POSTPONED

Street Railway Men at Pittsburg to Meet Magnates Tomorrow.

Pittsburg, April 23.—National President W. D. Mahon of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employes arrived here from Detroit, called by the imminence of a strike of the employes of the Pittsburg Railways company.

Mr. Mahon had a conference with J. D. Callery, president of the railways company. Following this meeting it was announced that no further steps would be taken by the men till after and her conference, which has been set for tomorrow afternoon.

TALKING OVER THE TARIFF

Economists and Legislators Discuss Subject at New York Meeting.

New York, April 23.—The spring meeting of the Academy of Political Science, which began at Columbia university today, will be devoted to a discussion of the tariff question as viewed from many sides.

Among the speakers will be President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia university, United States Senator A J Beveridge, Leslie M. Shaw and Miss Ida M. Tarbell.

Fifteen addresses on the tariff question will be delivered by various prominent authorities on the subject. Some of the speakers and subjects will be: "Reasons For Tariff Revision," by Professor Henry C. Emery of Yale; "Tariff on Works of Art," Robert W. De Forest; "Tariff on Paper," Hugh J. Chisholm; "Tariff In Relation to Books," George Haven Putnam; "Boot and Shoe Industry and the Tariff," Charles H. Jones; "A Tariff Program," President Nicholas Murray Butler; "The Tariff Situation," Senator Albert J Beveridge, "Tariff Revision," ex-Congressman James T. McCleary; "How the Payne Bill Affects Woman," Miss Ida M. Tarbell.

AUTOMOBILES WRECKED

Races Up Lookout Mountain Result In Minor Accidents.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 23.—With at least 50,000 people lining the course the daring drivers in the automobile hill-climbing up Lookout mountain made some startling records. Lewis Strang, the youngest member of the Buick team, passed under the wire a winner in three of the events. His driving was easily the feature of the day. His time was the best made aside from Chevrolet, who made the 4.9 miles in 6:30 2-5. This, however, was not official, as Chevrolet was disqualified, having met with an accident soon after the start. He went back and made an exhibition run over the course like a streak of lightning.

George Dewitt went into the ditch at the "hairpin" curve and, though his machine was smashed, Dewitt escaped with a few bruises. In the seventh event two cars were ditched at the "hairpin," in one of which accidents Louis Doerhoerfer, in a mammoth automobile, skidded from the roadway, turning a complete somersault. His car was demolished and Doerhoerfer was severely injured.

HELP IMPROVE HOME

Mrs. Harmon Interests Club Women In Delinquent Girls.

Columbus, O., April 23.—When Mrs. Harmon returned from a 10-days' stay in New York she found more than 100 letters awaiting her from the Ohio club women. They all dealt with one subject, the Girls' Industrial home. In emphatic unity they demanded improvement, and pledged their co-operation in Mrs. Harmon's announced determination to bring this about.

In discussing the subject Mrs Harmon said: "Just what course will be pursued I am unable to outline now. When the governor is not too much engaged I hope to be able to give the matter a thorough discussion. I have some ideas of my own about the institution and how to proceed toward its betterment, but I desire to have the benefit of his judgment and advice before reaching any final decision."

GREAT LAWYERS' MEETING

Society Composed of Legal Lights Has Convention In Washington.

Washington, April 23.—The American Society of International Law, composed of lawyers and others interested in the questions that arise between nations, holds its third annual meeting in this city today and tomorrow.

The president of the society is Elihu Root, senator from New York. Oscar S. Straus, former secretary of commerce and labor, is chairman of the executive committee, and Charles Henry Butler, reporter of the United States supreme court, is the corresponding secretary. Among the vice presidents of the society are President Taft, Chief Justice Fuller, Justice Day, Andrew Carnegie, Joseph H. Choate and Justice Brewer.

Release Chase Tomorrow.

Augusta, Ga., April 23.—Hal Chase, the New York American league baseball player who has been in the detention hospital here, with the smallpox, will be liberated tomorrow, prevented such action.

Two Killed In Mine.

Joplin, Mo., April 23.—A cave-in in the M. & B. mine near here killed two men, injured two and entombed one, who has not yet been rescued.

THIS AND THAT

More than 100,000 acres of land were burned over by prairie fires near Tojah, Tex.

The Florida senate has passed the bill providing for a vote on the statewide prohibition proposition.

One person killed, several injured and property damage amounting to $50,000 is the record of a tornado that passed through Ogelsby, Tex.

M. Babish, a Korean workman, was crushed to death under several tons of ore at the plant of the Columbus (O.) Iron and Steel company.

Mrs. Alice Regan, who returned to a burning Cincinnati (O.) tenement to wake her husband, died of her burns in a hospital a few hours later.

Jacob Schiff of New York has donated $100,000 for the establishment of normal schools for the training of Jewish Sabbath school teachers. One will be located at Cincinnati.

BAILEY SCORES ADMINISTRATION

Deprecates Attempt to Break the Solid South.

SAYS WEAK MEN ARE FLATTERED

Points Out Alleged Discriminations In Payne Tariff Measure Whereby Cotton Planters Pay High Protective Duties on Bagging While the Northern Farmer Imports Binding Twine Free — Nelson and Dolliver Complain of High Schedules.

Washington, April 23. — Senators Dolliver of Iowa and Nelson of Minnesota indulged in criticism of the Payne tariff bill from the Republican side of the senate by contending that the rates on certain schedules were entirely too high.

General debate was indulged in by Democratic senators under the guise of discussing the duty on gas retorts, Senator Bailey of Texas taking occasion to say that the bill was discriminating against southern interests.

There was a return to Mr. Aldrich's remarks concerning Democrats in the Union army. He declared he had not intended to say that there were no loyal Democrats in the north or in the Union army.

Mr. Bailey asserted that any such attack on any Democrat was ill timed. "I have heard it said," added Mr. Bailey, "that the present administration aims as one of its chief accomplishments to disrupt the solid south, and it is endeavoring to accomplish that result by flattering the weak men among us in the south by conceding to them an invitation to the White House or by giving them a portion of the patronage of the country."

Mr. Bailey said he deprecated the effort of the Republican party to win the south by appealing to the selfish interests. "At the same time," he said, "this bill is full of sectional discriminations." The farmer's binding twine is placed on the free list, but in this very same bill the bagging of the cotton planter is highly protected. That costs the cotton planter of the south yearly more than $1,250,000, and that burden should be lifted from his shoulders even if every factory in the cotton bagging trust should be compelled to close. If you want to find a way to the hearts of our people of the south, do not treat them unjustly."

House Holds Short Session.

Washington, April 23.—The house was in session for 10 minutes, but took no action on the census bill, the only important business which it had before it for consideration. Mr. Crumpacker of Indiana, chairman of the census committee, endeavored to have the house insist further upon its disagreement from the senate amendments, but the absence of a quorum

ELUDES REPORTERS

Wheat King Patton Seeks Seclusion on Arizona Ranch.

Chicago, April 23.—That James A. Patten, hailed throughout the country as the "wheat king" has withdrawn from the market after disposing of his heavy holdings of May and July wheat, was asserted in many quarters here. To this assertion was added the fact that prices have tumbled over 9 cents during the last week and that Mr. Patten has sought rest in the fastnesses of a New Mexico ranch.

"It's a fact that he ran away from the newspapers," said one of his friends. "He was not running a corner, and published statements to the contrary wore him out. He is looking for rest and he ought to find it, for Mr. Bartlett's ranch comprises some 200,000 acres and no place on it is there a reporter."

ARBOR DAY IN ILLINOIS

Schoolchildren of the State Celebrate by Planting Flowers.

Chicago, April 23.—By proclamation dated March 1 Governor Deneen designated today as Arbor day for the state of Illinois and asked that the day be appropriately observed with exercises and the planting of trees, shrubs and flowers around schoolhouses and homes.

Arbor day is being generally observed throughout the state. In this city and elsewhere the schools were closed early in order to permit the children to take part in the exercises. The women's clubs, the Women's Outdoor Art league and other organizations of women have interested themselves greatly in the holiday.

Actor Farnum's Deposition.

Chicago, April 23.—Dustin Farnum's deposition in the Gould divorce case was taken before Attorney Louis C. Eble in the latter's office here. Mrs. Gould was represented by Clarence J Shearn and Mr. Gould by Archibald Watson. The actor was a willing witness. In effect he stated that he had known Mrs. Gould seven or eight years, had met her on an average of not more than once a year, and had never witnessed anything derogatory to her character or habits. Their own relations were those of friendly acquaintances only. He had never seen Mrs. Gould drink an intoxicant, he said.

DOINGS IN OHIO

Live News Notes From All Parts of the Buckeye State.

Marion, O., April 23.—That the sale of beer by the case for family use by the Marion Brewing and Bottling company is not dispensing it as a beverage, and that it is not contrary to the provisions of the Rose county option law, is the substance of an opinion rendered in the court of common pleas by Judge Boston G. Young. The court reversed the decision of the mayor in the case against Gustavus Koenig, who had been fined $50 for selling a case of beer to G. W. Ault, a Law and Order league detective. The Anti-Saloon forces say they will carry the case to the supreme court.

Officers Elected by Mystic Circle.

Lancaster O., April 23.—At the biennial convention of the grand ruling of the Fraternal Mystic Circle, First district, embracing Ohio and Kentucky, the following officers were elected: Worthy grand ruler, C. S. Mellinger, Salem, O.; worthy grand vice ruler, George Swope, Newport, Ky.; recorder, Minnie Emmert, Columbus; treasurer, J. H. Good, Ashland, O.; warden, John Chappie, Newport, Ky.

Lima Firebug Confesses.

Lima, O., April 23.—Admitting that he set fire to the hay in the Musser livery stable, which caused the $30,000 fire here, Jack Bunnell, a discharged employe, was arrested and the state fire marshal notified. Bunnell, it is claimed, admitted the crime to Deputy Sheriff Bowersox, and implicated Isaac Wade, cousin of the Wade brothers, Al and Ben, who were electrocuted a few years ago.

Gets Second Threatening Letter.

Springfield, O., April 23.—A second Black Hand letter was received by Joseph Spangenberger, a wealthy manufacturer and politician, who was Saturday threatened with death and the dynamiting of his property unless he should turn over to the poor whites and blacks living in the rear of his pop factory $500.

Gives His Wife to Friend.

Cleveland, O., April 23.—Charles Flanner, lying on his deathbed at his home, gave his wife, Esther, to his best friend, William Carr. Mrs. Flanner told Prosecutor Fenger. She asked Fenger to restrain Carr from annoying her.

Finds Pearl In Cocktail.

Columbus, O., April 23.—H. K. Lyon, a Toledo insurance man, found a $150 pearl in a clam cocktail served to him at a local hotel. He has refused $150 for the pearl and says that he will take it home as a present for his wife.

Will Name Conwell.

Columbus, O., April 23.—Dr. C. B. Conwell of Cincinnati will be superintendent of the new state tuberculosis hospital at Mt. Vernon. The trustees agreed upon this at their first meeting.

Bott Is Bigamist, Says Jury.

Cleveland, O., April 23.—William F. Bott of Homestead, Pa., was found guilty of bigamy in Judge Strimple's court. The trial was sensational and lasted for more than a week.

Harmon Receives Invitation.

Columbus, O., April 23.—Governor Harmon received an invitation to speak before the annual gathering of the Daughters of the Confederacy at Huntsville, Ala., May 12.

Denounce "White Slave" Traffic.

Washington, April 23. Suppression of the "white slave" traffic in this country was one of the topics of chief interest discussed at the annual meeting of the archbishops of the Roman Catholic church. The archbishops, voicing the sentiment of the church in the United States, unanimously agreed to lend their co-operation to the movement.

LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle Export cattle, $6 00@6 60; shipping steers, $5 90@6 10; butcher cattle, $5 55@6 35; heifers, $4 00@5 00; cows, $3 50@5 25; bulls, $3 50@5 00; milkers and springers, $30 00@60 00. Calves—Best, $7 00@7 50. Sheep and Lambs—Mixed sheep, $4 75@5 00; wethers, $5 00@5 25; ewes, $4 50@4 75; lambs, $5 50@7 25; yearlings, $5 50@6 00. Hogs—Heavies, $7 75@7 80; mediums $7 70@7 75; Yorkers, $7 25@7 60; pigs $7 00; roughs, $6 50@6 65; stags, $5 25@5 75.

CHICAGO—Cattle Steers, $5 00@7 00; cows, $4 00@5 75; heifers, $3 25@6 00; bulls, $3 75@5 25; stockers and feeders, $3 30@5 35. Calves—$5 50@8 60. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $3 75@6 50; lambs, $5 50@8 10; yearlings, $5 25@7 25. Hogs—Choice heavy shipping, $7 30@7 45; butchers', $7 25@7 40; light mixed $6 85@7 45; choice light $7 05@7 25; packing, $7 10@7 25; pigs, $5 00@6 60. Wheat—No 2 red, $1 39½@1 39¾. Corn—No. 3, 69¾@71½c. Oats—No. 3, 54@56½c.

PITTSBURG—Cattle Choice, $6 40@6 55; prime, $6 20@6 40; tidy butchers', $5 60@6 00; heifers, $3 50@5 75; cows, bulls and stags, $3 00@5 50; fresh cows, $25 00@50 00. Calves—Veal, $5 00@6 75. Sheep and Lambs—Prime wethers, $5 10@5 20; good mixed, $4 80@5 00; lambs, $4 00@7 00; spring lambs $8 00@11 00. Hogs—Heavy hogs, $7 70; mediums, $7 60; heavy Yorkers, $7 50@7 60; light Yorkers, $7 10@7 20; pigs, $5 70@6 90.

CLEVELAND—Cattle Prime dry-fed cattle, $6 00@6 25; fat steers, $5 75@6 00; heifers, $4 25@5 25; cows, $2 25@3 50; bulls, $3 00@4 25; milkers and springers, $25 00@55 00. Calves—$7 25 down. Sheep and Lambs—Mixed sheep, $4 50@4 75; wethers, $5 00@5 50; ewes, $4 50@4 75; lambs, $4 50@7 00. Hogs—Mixed, $7 45; heavies, $7 50; mediums, $7 50; Yorkers $7 40; pigs, $6 75; roughs, $6 50; stags, $5 50@5 75.

CINCINNATI — Wheat: No. 2 red, $1 43½. Corn — No. 2 mixed, 76@76½c. Oats—No. 2, 55½@56c. Rye—No 2, 88@90c Lard—$10 20@10 30. Bulk Meats—$10 00. Bacon—$10 75. Hogs—$6 00@7 50. Cattle—$2 50@6 25. Sheep—$2 50@5 75. Lambs—$5 50@7 25.

TOLEDO—Wheat, $1 36; corn, 72c; oats, 57c, rye, 89c; cloverseed, $5 75.

PLOT TO FREE BOYLE FIZZLES

Takes Suicidal Draught With Succor at Hand.

IS FOUND ON FLOOR OF CELL

Noted Kidnaper Removed to Jail Hospital and Is Saved by Physicians After Several Hours' Hard Work. Unable to Take Advantage of Ladder Raised to Cell Window by Friends Outside — Damaging Evidence Found In Pockets.

Mercer, Pa., April 23. — James H. Boyle, the kidnaper of Willie Whitla made an unsuccessful attempt to end his life, and by so doing missed a possible chance to escape from the Mercer county jail.

Boyle suddenly became ill and was found lying on the floor of his cell writhing in convulsions. Doctors worked with him for several hours and his condition improved. Excepting that his illness was such as would have resulted from some powerful drug, nothing can be learned.

Later an attempt to liberate Boyle failed on account of the prisoner's illness. Guards found a 20-foot ladder in position at the window in Boyle's cell. The supposition is that the men who were to free Boyle climbed this ladder and then found his cell empty, the prisoner being in the jail hospital because of illness.

That Boyle is making every effort to escape is indicated by a letter found on his person addressed to Sharon, Pa., in which he described to parties not generally known the best way to effect his liberty. It is alleged Boyle wrote the letter some time ago but could find no way to mail it.

TALK WITH CANADIANS

Myron T. Herrick Chairman of Conference on Trade Relations.

Detroit, Mich., April 23.—"It is your move," is the concise phrase in which J. A. McDonald of Toronto expressed to the delegates to the conference on Canadian trade relations the attitude of the Dominion toward the movement in this country for bettering trade relations with our northern neighbor. "Certain it is that representatives from Ottawa will never again go to Washington to negotiate a reciprocity treaty with the United States," continued Mr. McDonald.

Former Governor Myron T. Herrick of Ohio was chosen chairman of the conference. The speakers were Henry R. Towne, president of the Merchants' association of New York; Chairman Herrick and William Judson of Grand Rapids

Former Governor Herrick, while proclaiming himself a protectionist, declared he had been for several years in favor of free lumber. "Every means for making the flow of trade and commerce easy should be encouraged," said Governor Herrick, adding that the influence of such conferences as the present one is being felt as never before. He declared there is an awakening of interest on the part of business men in the country on questions affecting public welfare.

NIAGARA GORGE BROKEN

Dynamite Wins In Gigantic Struggle With the Elements.

Youngstown, N. Y., April 23.—A breach was made in the great ice jam which for 10 days has held the lower Niagara in its grasp and caused damage estimated at $1,000,000. The immediate results of the last explosions were disappointing to the 100 spectators on shore, but Engineer Kunz and his men hammered away and finally the blast from 150 pounds of dynamite sent a tiny rivulet trickling through the east side of the jam. Further explosions and the ceaseless grinding of the floating ice broadened the trickle to a bold young stream that boiled and roared exultantly between two sections of the ice monster's maw.

DESCRIBES SWAMP TRAGEDY

Mississippi Woman Forced by Husband to Kill Her Lover.

Hattiesburg, Miss., April 23.—Mrs Minnie Crosby confessed before the coroner's jury that she pulled the trigger which sent the contents of a double-barrel shotgun into the head of J. R. McShane, whose decomposed body was found in a secluded spot in Leaf river swamp.

She admitted that she had been intimate with McShane. She said that her husband had intercepted the correspondence between McShane and herself, and by threat of death if she disobeyed, had forced her to assist in decoying McShane into the swamp, where he might be slain.

Mrs. McLean Remembered.

Washington, April 23. — "Perhaps this is the first time that the Daughters of the American Revolution have ever found me speechless," declared Mrs. Donald McLean, the retiring president general of the D. A. R., after she had been presented, in recognition of her services, with a magnificent large silver set, consisting of a stand, bowl and flower vase.

ASSAULTS TWO GIRLS

Negro Captured After Long Chase by Pittsburg Mob.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 23. — With a mob at his heels, many of them firing at him as he fled, William Singford, a negro, was caught by Timothy Healy, an amateur lightweight pugilist, and lodged in jail. He is alleged to have attempted a criminal assault on two young white women in the Herron Hill district, where so many assaults were attempted recently that the police went over the hill with a dragnet and arrested about 100 negroes.

Taft Witnesses Third Degree.

Washington, April 23. — President Taft attended a regular session of Temple Masonic lodge of this city. There was a large attendance and the president, who was made a Mason "at sight" in Cincinnati in February, saw the third degree worked upon several candidates.

MAKE CLEAN SWEEP AT THE BIG PRISON

Ironton Man Succeeds Gould as Warden.

Columbus, O., April 23. — Thomas H. B. Jones of Ironton was elected warden of the Ohio penitentiary at a meeting of the new board of managers by a unanimous vote. No other name was presented. Mr. Jones will enter upon his duties May 1, succeeding O. B. Gould of Jackson county, who has occupied the position five years, and who when he retires will become a member of the board.

Following the selection of the warden, the following officials were named: Deputy warden, Charles Resch, Columbus; steward, Charles B. Randall, Chillicothe; chaplain, Rev. Frank Richards, Gallipolis; postmaster, C. C. Dornan, Marietta; clerk, Irvin M. Rex, Tiffin; assistant clerk, W. L. Coners, Dayton; storekeeper, J. C. Woodard, Kent; chief physician, Dr. J. W. Clark, Oak Hill; parole officer, D. F. Morris, Seville; superintendent of construction, Thomas J. Gorman, Toledo, superintendent light and heat, S. R. Fristoe, Newark; captain of day watch, Henry B. Smith, Berne; captain of night watch, Solomon Shipley, Zaleski; superintendent subsistence, Thomas J. Finn, Fremont; superintendent yards, William Joyce, Corning; superintendent schools, M. A. Caldwell, Mt. Gilead; superintendent halls, John B. Smith, Zanesville; superintendent state shops, Peter Egeth, Bucyrus.

The board got into a hitch over choosing its secretary, and Governor Harmon is said to wish the appointment to go to George U. Marvin, who accompanied the governor in his stumping campaign last fall. State Chairman Finley and some members of the board opposed Marvin as being a Republican. Ex-Postmaster T. D. Wallace of Springfield and a number of other Democrats are applicants for the secretaryship.

Mrs. Bessie Harris of Groveport and Mrs. Lark Moon of Columbus are among the applicants for appointment as matron.

There were over 1,000 applicants for places on the penitentiary payroll, and consequently there will be over 900 disappointed Democrats.

BASE BALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

AT PHILADELPHIA—										R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	*—4	7	0	
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0	1	1	

Batteries—Covaleskie and Doom; Ferguson and Smith.

AT ST. LOUIS—										R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	5	0—7	10	0	
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0—3	7	1	

Batteries—Sallee and Bresnahan, Overall, Brown and Moran.

AT BROOKLYN—										R.	H.	E.
New York	0	1	0	1	0	1	4	1	0—8	11	3	
Brooklyn	0	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0—5	8	0	

Batteries—Ames, Wiltse and Schlei, Wilhelm and Bergen.

AT PITTSBURG—										R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0—4	9	3	
Cincinnati	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	4—7	16	1	

Batteries—Brandom, Leifield and Gibson, Ewing and McLean

CLUBS	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS	W.	L.	P.C.
Chi'g.	6	2	.750	Brook.	2	3	.400
Bost.	4	2	.667	Phila.	2	3	.400
N. Y.	3	2	.600	St. L.	3	5	.375
Chica.	3	3	.500	Pitts.	2	4	.333

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

AT BOSTON—										R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1	6	0	
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0	1	1	

Batteries—Coombs and Thomas, Morgan and Carrigan

AT CLEVELAND—										R.	H.	E.
Cleved.	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0—4	15	2	
St. Louis	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0—2	12	2	

Batteries—Joss, Rhoades and Clark, Graham, Powell and Criger.

AT NEW YORK—										R.	H.	E.
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—1	7	0	
New York	0	0	5	0	2	0	0	1	*—8	9	1	

Batteries—Smith and Street, Quinn and Kleinow.

AT CHICAGO—										R.	H.	E.
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—1	6	0	
Chicago	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	*—3	7	2	

Batteries—Willett and Schmidt, Smith and Sullivan.

CLUBS	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS	W.	L.	P.C.
Bo'ton	5	2	.714	Cleve.	3	4	.429
Det't.	5	2	.714	Phila.	3	4	.429
N. Y.	4	3	.571	Chica.	2	4	.333
St. L.	3	3	.500	Wash.	2	5	.286

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

AT COLUMBUS 0, Louisville 2.
AT MILWAUKEE 1, Kansas City 4.
AT ST. PAUL 0, Minneapolis 1.
AT TOLEDO 6, Indianapolis 5.

CLUBS	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS	W.	L.	P.C.
Ind'lis.	6	2	.750	Toledo.	4	4	.500
Louis.	6	2	.750	St. P.	2	4	.333
Minne.	5	2	.714	K. C.	2	5	.286
Milw.	4	2	.667	Colum.	0	8	.000

ESKIMO WILL TRY TO REACH THE POLE

Only Survivor of Eskimo Family Thinks He Can Reach the Pole.

Pleased beyond measure with his success in obtaining a scholarship at Manhattan college, New York, Mene Keeshoo, the only north Greenland Eskimo living in a civilized country and the sole survivor of the first Eskimos brought to the United States by Commander Peary in 1895, was contending the other night at the Grand Union hotel, in New York, with a number of conflicting emotions. First, and perhaps foremost, is his ardent desire to return to his native country and with an expedition composed entirely of Eskimos to reach the north pole.

Mene, who is eighteen years old, is a typical Eskimo, with a decidedly yellow skin, almond shaped eyes and jet black hair. With all that Mene is a handsome boy.

Asked what was his idea in taking a college course and how such an education could be utilized in Greenland, Mene's face brightened at the mention of the icebound continent.

"I would like to return to my people and see if I could help them. I have never forgotten my people, although I have not seen them since I was taken from my playmates when I was six years old and brought by Commander Peary to New York."

When it was pointed out to him that there would appear to be little or no demand for the activities of a civil engineer in Greenland he said:

"My people—they always have tried to help the white man reach the pole. White men have not reached it principally because the Eskimos will never tell the white man all they know. The Eskimos don't know today what Commander Peary is looking for. He isn't able to explain it to the Eskimos. They have no knowledge of geography. They see his ship and think it from some fairyland filled with crackers and coffee.

"Now, I think I can find the pole after I get my civil engineering knowledge. First I will go back to Greenland and learn my language again. My people would tell me things they would tell to no white man about the best way to reach the north pole. They don't know how great a thing it would be to find it, but I can tell them all that and make them understand that the only way to reach the pole is to hunt for it until we find it. Too much time is spent now by explorers coming back to the United States to tell people how cold it is up there and how they had to buck the ice. The Eskimo knows it is cold up there, but he is used to it, and he doesn't know anything about writing books about the north. The only way to find it is to go as far as possible one season, make a permanent camp there instead of coming back to write a book or magazine article, and push farther the next season. That's what I want to do, and I believe with an expedition of my own people I can do it. The Eskimo doesn't know how to lecture. I can learn how to read instruments so that I can know when I have found the pole, and the Eskimos will stick to me until I do find it. There is a lot of time lost in coming back to the United States to talk about the ice.

"Not only do I want to be the one to discover the pole, but I also want to explore the vast unknown tracts of Greenland, which has more country unexplored by man than any other land. I also want to write a history of my people and of Greenland and believe I can get much from them in the way of folklore and ancient customs."

It was this realization of the fact that he must take a course in surveying to enable him to ascertain his exact position on the earth which decided him in the matter of accepting the scholarship obtained for him by Harry V. Radford, an arctic explorer.

Mr. Radford said: "I have known Mene only a few days, but have every confidence in him. I do not think it is too much to say that he may be a veritable Moses among his people—or should we say a Peary?"

"Just let it rest at Mene," said Mene, with a grin.

BOYS INVENT A MOTOR ICEBOAT

The Novel Craft Is Now Running on the River at Red Bank.

A motor iceboat has recently been built by Jacob Cornwell, Jr., and Wilber Wenck, two boys of Red Bank, N. J., and, although it is a crude affair, it has had several successful trial trips on the Shrewsbury river and has demonstrated that a motor iceboat is practical. They are now making arrangements to build a larger boat.

The little ice craft is six feet long and has a three horsepower motor set upright in the boat, which is propelled by a chain drive revolving a spiked log of wood eight inches in diameter and about a foot in length. The steering runner of the boat is in front instead of behind, and the steering apparatus is controlled by a lever instead of a tiller.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

Chicago, April 22.—Butter—Creamery extras 28; firsts 25@, seconds 22; dairy extras 25.

Eggs—Firsts 20; seconds 19½.

Live poultry—Turkeys 17; fowls 11½; ducks 11; geese 6.

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